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In the Province of Ontario



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Most Worshipful Brother

**CLARENCE MacLEOD PITTS**  
GRAND MASTER

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ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTH  
ANNUAL COMMUNICATION

HELD IN THE CITY

of

TORONTO

July 15th, A.D. 1959, A.L. 5959



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## **A BREIF BIOGRAPHY OF OUR GRAND MASTER**

Clarence MacLeod Pitts was born on May 5th, 1894, at Fredericton, New Brunswick, the second son of Herman H. Pitts and Alexandrina Stirling MacLeod. He received his early education at the Fredericton Model School and, after his family moved to Ottawa in 1903, he attended the Ottawa Public Schools, Lisgar Collegiate Institute, and McGill University, Montreal, from which he graduated in 1914 with the degree of Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering. In 1933 he married Elsie G. King, of Ottawa, who passed away suddenly on June 29th, 1958.

As a graduate Engineer, he practiced his profession on construction works in Montreal, Halifax and Hawkesbury. During the first Great War he joined the Canadian Army and was attached to the 2nd Battery, Canadian Field Artillery, attended the Royal School of Artillery, Halifax, and, later, joined the 10th Siege Battery, Canadian Expeditionary Force, with the rank of Lieutenant.

At the close of the War, he joined his father and brother in the operation of several companies in Ottawa but chiefly The People's Gas Supply Company Limited, which is engaged in the manufacture and distribution of compressed gases and supplies for use in welding and allied processes, as well as the distribution of medical gases and therapy equipment. Incorporated in 1902, it is one of the oldest companies in America continuously engaged in the acetylene gas business.

A Presbyterian by religion, he has had a very active connection with all phases of his Church's work. A member of St. Andrew's congregation, Ottawa, of which he has been the Representative Elder, he was the Sunday School Superintendent for 23 years. He has served for many years as a mem-

ber of the local Presbytery, Synod and General Assembly. At present he is the Chairman of the General Assembly's Pension Board and has been a member of several other Assembly Committees. He is a Past Chairman of the General Board of Administration.

In civic life he is Chairman of the Trustees of the Ottawa Charitable Foundation. He has been active in Boy Scout Work, at present being on the Ottawa Advisory Council, is Vice-President of the Provincial Council of Ontario, and a member of the Executive Board of the Canadian General Council. He is a member of the Association of Professional Engineers for Ontario, Canadian Manufacturers' Association, Canadian Chamber of Commerce, Ottawa Board of Trade, National Fire Protection Association, and a Past Chairman of the Ottawa Branch of the Engineering Institute of Canada, Past President of the International Acetylene Association, Past President of the Compressed Gas Manufacturers' Association, and Past Chairman of the Canadian Section, Compressed Gas Association, and numerous other organizations.

He is a member of the Royal Ottawa Golf Club, The Seigniory Club, Scottish Rite Club of Hamilton, and the Chemists Club of New York.

It is in Masonic circles that he has given so much of his time and talents for the advancement of all branches of the Order.

Initiated, passed and raised in Hawkesbury Lodge, No. 450, in 1917, he affiliated with Dalhousie Lodge, No. 52, Ottawa, in 1920 and was Wor. Master in 1928-29 and again in 1939-40. He was elected as District Deputy Grand Master of Ottawa District in 1940. As a member of the Board of General Purposes of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada for twelve years—from 1943 to 1955—he served terms as Chairman of the Committees on Fraternal Dead, Benevolence and the Condition of Masonry. In 1957 he was elected as Deputy Grand Master,

in 1959 as Grand Master. He is the Grand Representative of the Grand Lodge of Nebraska, U.S.A., near the Grand Lodge of Canada. He is a Past Sovereign Grand Commander of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite in Canada, and a Past Grand First Principal of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Canada. He is also a member of the Grand Council of the Sovereign Great Priory of Canada, Knights Templar, the Royal Order of Scotland and Ontario Priory, No. 49, Knights of the York Cross of Honour.

He brings to his office as Grand Master a vast experience obtained in many fields of endeavour and great zeal and enthusiasm for work. He is held in the highest esteem by all members of the Masonic bodies, particularly those he has served as Ruler and Chief Administrator.

# GRAND LODGE, A.F. & A.M. OF CANADA in the Province of Ontario

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## PROCEEDINGS

At the One Hundred and Fourth Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge, A.F. & A.M. of Canada, in the Province of Ontario, held in the City of Toronto, commencing Wednesday, July 15th, A.D. 1959 AL. 5959.

Present were:

THE GRAND MASTER  
M.W. Bro. H. L. Martyn

THE DEPUTY GRAND MASTER  
R.W. Bro. C. M. Pitts

R.W. Bro. E. L. James ..... Grand Senior Warden  
R.W. Bro. J. B. Sainsbury ..... Grand Junior Warden  
R.W. Bro. R. S. Skinner ..... Grand Chaplain  
M.W. Bro. W. J. Dunlop ..... Grand Treasurer  
R.W. Bro. E. G. Dixon ..... Grand Secretary  
R.W. Bro. R. C. Woodley ..... Grand Registrar  
V.W. Bro. W. R. Cockburn ..... Grand Dir. of Ceremonies

## PAST GRAND MASTERS

M.W. Bros., F. A. Copus, W. J. Dunlop, J. A. McRae, C. S. Hamilton, T. H. Simpson, J. P. Maher, N. C. Hart, J. A. Hearn, and W. L. Wright.

## THE DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MASTERS

Algoma.....	Roy Arthur Gunn
Brant.....	Samuel E. E. Wait
Bruce.....	P. Stuart MacKenzie
Chatham.....	William O. O'Neill
Eastern.....	Kenneth N. McDermid

Frontenac.....	Talmage Stone
Georgian.....	George G. Caldwell
Grey.....	Randolph Bradey
Hamilton 'A".....	Donald K. Wright
Hamilton "B".....	Stephen G. K. Kemp
London.....	Harry L. Peers
Muskoka.....	Francis C. Powell
Niagara "A".....	Harry W. Russell
Niagara "B".....	Harry H. Higgins
Nipissing East.....	Richard H. Irwin
Nipissing West.....	Frank H. Pearse
North Huron.....	William L. Douglas
Ontario.....	Leonard C. Gordon
Ottawa.....	Robert Darby
Peterborough.....	Walter Bitten
Prince Edward.....	Francis G. Creeggan
Sarnia.....	James C. Walden
South Huron.....	David C. White
St. Lawrence.....	Clifford H. Ralph
St. Thomas.....	Kenneth Freeman
Temiskaming.....	William I. Butcher
Toronto "A-1".....	Glenford W. Carrow
Toronto "A-2".....	David A. Peters
Toronto "B-1".....	Thomas W. Salmon
Toronto "B-2".....	Robert L. Elsie
Toronto "C".....	Harold F. Norman
Toronto "D".....	Donald H. Graham
Victoria.....	William H. Carr
Wellington.....	Leonard R. Hertel
Western.....	Jack B. Fraser
Wilson.....	William A. Chesney
Windsor.....	Bruce C. Martin

## GRAND REPRESENTATIVE

## GRAND LODGE OF

F. A. Copus.....	England
W. J. Dunlop.....	Ireland
J. A. McRae.....	Scotland
J. P. Maher.....	Alberta
R. W. Treleaven.....	British Columbia
C. S. Hamilton.....	Manitoba
W. H. Gibson.....	New Brunswick
Walter T. Robb.....	New South Wales

D. J. Gunn.....	New Zealand
H. L. Martyn.....	Queensland
E. W. E. Saunders.....	Tasmania
B. C. McClelland.....	Western Australia
G. J. McQueen.....	Alabama
O. M. Newton.....	Arizona
N. C. Hart.....	California
H. Minchinton.....	Colorado
J. R. Rumball.....	Dist. of Columbia
M. C. Cain.....	Georgia
C. H. Lord.....	Idaho
J. A. Hearn.....	Illinois
A. E. MacGregor.....	Iowa
Alan Broughton.....	Kansas
Geo. T. Evans.....	Kentucky
W. T. Overend.....	Maine
Stilson Swales.....	Maryland
T. H. Simpson.....	Massachusetts
Harvey Linklater.....	Michigan
W. H. Kipp.....	Mississippi
C. E. Hough.....	Missouri
C. M. Pitts.....	Nebraska
H. B. Coxon.....	Nevada
B. B. Foster.....	New Hampshire
C. P. Tilley.....	New Mexico
G. F. Kingsmill.....	New York
A. C. Ashforth.....	North Carolina
C. M. Rawson.....	Oklahoma
F. D. Shannon.....	Oregon
Geo. F. Clark.....	Rhode Island
Ewart G. Dixon.....	South Carolina
E. A. Miller.....	South Dakota
Ed. Balfour.....	Tennessee
A. W. Baker.....	Texas
G. W. McRae.....	Utah
M. L. Martyn.....	Virginia
W. D. Connor.....	West Virginia
H. S. Johnston.....	Wisconsin
T. N. Clarke.....	Argentina
Wellington Smith.....	Bahia (Brazil)
W. E. W. Cressey.....	Chile
J. H. Burke.....	Colombia Bogota

A. V. Chapman.....	Colombia	Cartagena
Angus Graham.....	Cuba	
W. L. Wright.....	Denmark	
J. N. Allan.....	Ecuador	
Wm. J. Attig.....	Guatemala	
D. Lou Harris.....	Israel	
W. B. Cannon.....	Mexico, York	
G. E. French.....	Netherlands	
R. C. Berkinshaw.....	Norway	
A. D. McRae.....	Para (Brazil)	
Allan C. Mason.....	Paraiba (Brazil)	
A. B. Shoemaker.....	Peru	
P. N. Knight.....	Philippines	
Karl B. Conger.....	Porto Rico	
W. S. Milmine.....	Switzerland	
Robert Strachan.....	Venezuela	

The M.W., the Grand Master, H. L. Martyn, distinguished guests and officers of Grand Lodge took their places in the Auditorium of the Central Technical School at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

### MASTER MASONS ADMITTED

The Grand Master invited all Master Masons to enter and take seats in the balcony.

### NATIONAL ANTHEM

The brethren joined in singing the National Anthem followed by "My Country, 'Tis of Thee", and "Two Countries by the Sea".

The brethren joined in singing three verses of "Unto the Hills".

### DELEGATES REGISTERED

The following delegates from the constituent lodges were present and duly registered:

**No. 2, Niagara, Niagara-on-the-Lake**—W. T. Bishop, E. C. Stewart, F. L. Collard, D. McNeil, H. M. Gibson, E. W. Stewart, I. B. Collard.

S GRAND LODGE OF CANADA ANNUAL COMMUNICATION

No. 3, Ancient St. John's, Kingston—W. H. Gummer, E. H. Guthrie, W. D. Stevens, T. A. Kidd, T. J. Donnelly, W. E. Kidd, L. N. Armstrong, W. D. Johnston, H. P. Wilson.

No. 5, Sussex, Brockville—J. Eadie, L. Connell, H. Blanchard.

No. 6, The Barton, Hamilton—J. N. Fenton, I. W. Burns, J. W. Hamilton, J. E. Piercy, C. M. Piercy, C. H. Cunningham, J. T. Broadbent.

No. 7, Union, Grimsby—A. Jarvis, C. C. McCartney, J. Douglas, J. Goodman, G. Oldfield, G. B. Lipsitt.

No. 9, Union, Napanee—C. E. Henricks.

No. 10, Norfolk, Simcoe—B. B. Smith, J. O. King, E. W. Windus.

No. 11, Moira, Belleville—H. Bailey, W. Bushell, M. J. Vanner.

No. 14, True Britons', Perth—R. C. Braley.

No. 15, St. George's, St. Catharines—W. A. Barnes, J. B. Sainsbury, E. L. James.

No. 16, St. Andrew's, Toronto—S. M. Ketcheson, C. Bragg, C. E. Waldron, T. H. W. Salmon, J. Ness, H. L. Martyn, E. C. Fowler, C. Howitt, J. J. Henderson, C. C. Strahm, J. F. Scott, F. W. McColl, J. E. Welch.

No. 17, St. John's, Cobourg—W. A. Woods, A. Bowman, C. Curtis.

No. 18, Prince Edward, Picton—J. J. V. Graydon, J. P. Maher, E. L. James, A. H. Hodgson.

No. 20, St. John's, London—B. I. Maguire, L. W. Heaman, W. H. Kipp, W. D. Graham, C. O. Logan, W. C. Jacobs.

No. 21A, St. John's, Vankleek Hill—I. Sproule, D. D. McLeod, D. S. MacPhee, W. McCaskill, A. D. MacRae, D. J. MacIntosh.

No. 22, King Solomon's, Toronto—L. S. Thomson, R. Coulart, G. A. Pitcher, W. Dawson Sr., E. Manifold, D. M. Tozer, T. Singleton, A. B. Cressman, H. B. Cunningham, A. L. Armitage, J. A. Mackay.

No. 23, Richmond, Richmond Hill—N. A. Todd, H. Ince, H. L. Martyn, T. P. Henry, J. Hamilton, F. J. Graham, J. L. Hollowell.

No. 24, St. Francis, Smiths Falls—G. E. McInnis, S. T. Woodley, H. W. Stanzel, W. Stanzel, G. P. Marshall, R. C. Purdy, J. J. Carpenter, C. A. Bailey.

No. 25, Ionic, Toronto—R. A. Kingston, G. M. Hargraft, R. B. G. Macdonell, F. C. Forster.

No. 26, Ontario, Port Hope—R. J. Hughes, W. Rowden, R. W. Smart, F. Gorsline, E. J. McKeever, E. Ruthven, L. B. Spicer, G. Finnie, D. R. McKay, J. H. Meeking, H. Mitchell, D. C. Davey, C. Stephenson, N. Goheen, D. R. Doggett.

No. 27, Strict Observance, Hamilton—R. F. Billington, S. A. Tinson, R. Barty, F. W. Dean, R. G. Truscott, J. H. Rogens, B. C. Tebbs, G. F. Kingsmill.

No. 28, Mount Zion, Kemptville—J. K. Forbes.

No. 29, United, Brighton—B. N. Seaborne, T. C. Thompson, K. A. McQuoid, G. F. Little.

No. 30, Composite, Whitby—G. E. Gouldburn, E. R. Stafford, H. F. Town, C. B. Rycroft, A. Archibald, D. E. Gibson, F. J. Gale, C. E. Broughton.

No. 31, Jerusalem, Bowmanville—W. Teeple, W. A. L. Ayre, A. W. G. Northcutt, R. C. Stevens, H. G. Freeman, C. E. Allin.

No. 32, Amity, Dunnville—O. M. Krick, J. H. Allan, F. R. Martin, E. C. McCullagh, D. R. Murphy, C. A. Brown, J. Clark.

No. 33, Maitland, Goderich—H. W. Shore, C. J. Worsell, K. C. Cutt, R. Bell, J. E. Robertson, W. Roope, C. M. Robertson, W. W. Ross, F. Lodge.

No. 34, Thistie, Amherstburg—K. Arner, H. Jubenville, A. H. Stevenson, C. F. Ayerst.

No. 35, St. John's, Cayuga—R. R. Hedley, B. B. Foster, A. G. Skinner, R. M. Murphy, M. R. Billings, C. W. Stitt.

No. 37, King Hiram, Ingersoll—E. C. Johnson, I. R. Smith, J. G. Robbins, H. R. Nagle, H. J. Upfold, W. Robertson, C. E. Rudd, G. Fraser, W. Moggach, W. F. Winlaw, C. W. Riley, T. E. Jackson, H. R. Cornell.

No. 38, Trent, Trenton—H. F. Burke, T. E. Bedford, O. M. Newton, D. McMaster, F. Boulton, H. Weese, D. S. Sager, E. V. Smith, G. K. Flynn, H. Sager, R. W. Weaver, V. F. Carswell, J. E. Richmond, W. H. Bonter, K. W. Crews.

No. 39, Mount Zion, Brocklin—J. Mitchell, K. Greer, G. Browne, L. McCoy, O. H. Downey, J. Stark, J. Patterson, W. Med'and.

No. 40, St. John's, Hamilton—M. Birthelmer, H. G. Edgar, W. J. Dyson, W. L. Sommerville, M. C. McDiarmid.

No. 41, St. George's, Kingsville—W. E. Humphreys, G. Hogarth, J. Graham.

No. 42, St. George's, London—G. A. Roberts.

No. 43, King Solomon's, Woodstock—J. Hargreaves, A. J. Thorne, W. D. Richards, A. W. Massie, T. Pellow, N. Weakley, R. Burns.

No. 44, St. Thomas, St. Thomas—A. V. Levack, W. Cowie, N. E. Rolling.

No. 45, Brant, Brantford—R. W. E. McFadden.

No. 46, Wellington, Chatham—V. Sloan, H. Williston.

No. 47, Great Western, Windsor—E. C. Shaw, J. E. MacNevin, R. J. McMonagle, A. J. Brush, F. E. Mason, R. Craig, G. Murray, E. C. Brown, C. E. Hillman, E. C. Smith.

No. 48, Madoc, Madoc—R. F. Dafoe.

No. 52, Dalhousie, Ottawa—G. Earnshaw, H. M. Johnston, A. Fraser, C. M. Pitts, C. P. Tilley, J. C. May, J. R. McFarland, B. Lishman.

No. 54, Vaughan, Maple—N. C. Payne, G. Watson, C. Madloy, J. J. Witherspoon, A. Cameron, J. McDonald, N. A. Lund, C. McCloskey, M. J. Kinnee.

No. 55, Merrickville, Merrickville—E. Pitcher, R. Patterson, L. H. Yeomans, G. Jackson, J. H. Kidd.

No. 56, Victoria, Sarnia—F. L. Brooks, A. Campbell, J. Facer, J. A. McDonald, H. T. Lucas, H. Russell, L. J. Crooks, J. S. Torrance, W. T. Mollitor, H. S. Barnes, B. Street.

No. 57, Harmony, Binbrook—L. Tweedle, T. H. Simpson, A. Hillgartner, G. R. Bell, E. G. Gawley, F. Leeming.

No. 58, Doric, Ottawa—J. E. Green, A. C. Stinson, W. S. Sparrow, C. D. Donald, W. A. Armstrong, J. G. C. Fraser, H. M. Cairney.

No. 61, Acacia, Hamilton—J. B. Simpson, G. H. Walker, W. F. Benedict, W. D. Connor, R. W. Treleaven, T. H. Simpson, H. L. Martyn, J. L. Stewart, M. E. Baseman, C. Cramond, C. D. Reading, G. T. Evans, A. N. Hill, B. C. Beasley, R. G. Connor, D. R. Shaw, R. J. Connor, L. W. Jones, J. W. VanLoon, L. E. Rouse, W. R. Binney.

No. 62, St. Andrew's, Caledonia—G. G. Thompson, A. Williamson, R. Thompson, H. Martindale, J. Renwick, S. Craig, W. Williamson, R. Deagle, G. P. Jackson, L. T. Watson, C. E. Shaw, R. C. Spratt, C. F. Howden, S. A. Parker, J. Lawrence, G. Douglas, H. Arrell, C. Young, F. Brown, T. J. Hicks, J. Sinuck, N. P. Morrison, R. E. Weatherston, R. Thompson, R. Shaw, A. C. Atkinson.

No. 63, St. John's, Carleton Place—D. H. Menzies, W. E. S. Root, G. C. Crampton, W. H. Hooper.

No. 64, Kilwinning, London—G. H. Richardson, B. Cameron, G. R. Dean, E. Chamberlain, A. Lemery.

No. 65, Reheboam, Toronto—L. W. Turnbull, P. W. Jefferies, V. B. Gale, H. L. Martyn, T. T. Birkett, F. R. Workman, H. D. Holden.

No. 66, Durham, Newcastle—J. T. Brown, J. Scott, A. G. Perrin, E. F. R. Osborne, H. E. Walkey, S. J. Lancaster, G. Gaines, F. McMullen, G. B. Rickard, J. H. Jose, C. J. Allin, A. Turner, H. S. Graham, H. J. Toms, J. Holmes, D. V. H. Gibson, I. Colwill, D. E. Gibson, C. M. Jones, L. Gaines.

No. 68, St. John's, Ingersoll—J. W. Dean, E. A. Webber, W. B. Ross, F. S. Newman, W. A. Sutherland, W. L. Jellous.

No. 69, Stirling, Stirling—C. E. Bateman, I. Caldwell, M. Clancy, D. O. Duffin, J. L. Cood, R. M. Johnston, G. G. Bailey, R. D. Cooke.

No. 72, Alma, Galt—W. H. Shaw.

No. 73, St. James, St. Marys—W. Lindsay, A. M. Pfaff, J. G. Bradley, H. Sparling, D. C. White, J. W. Durr, N. V. Johnston, F. C. Huff, P. Munoch, R. C. Bradford.

No. 74, St. James, South Augusta—J. Deitz, H. Earle, D. Manhard, B. E. Edwards.

No. 75, St. John's, Toronto—G. W. Bayliss, A. S. Drummond, C. A. Boddy, T. F. Dodson, L. W. Baker, C. S. Jackman, E. A. White, G. G. Argo, E. J. Hicks, J. D. Spears, A. L. Hayes, P. H. Burt, S. J. Burt, E. P. Smith, J. P. Todd.

No. 76, Oxford, Woodstock—R. H. Parker, A. C. Parker, F. F. Dickerson, J. T. Bichard, J. A. Fowler, D. S. Chesney, J. A. Madill, C. E. Nettleton.

No. 77, Faithful Brethren, Lindsay—H. S. Johnston, F. C. Green, C. H. Heels, S. J. Moore.

No. 78, King Hiram, Tillsonburg—W. J. Harper, J. E. Stephenson, W. H. Gibson, A. A. Coyle, J. C. Eickenberg.

No. 79, Simcoe, Bradford—B. W. Steers, A. G. Kneeshaw, N. H. Barron, C. M. Ritchie, F. C. Cook, W. K. Orr, J. F. Gray, R. L. Browne.

No. 81, St. John's, Mount Brydges—D. Peacock, L. Mahler, J. McLean, D. A. McGugan, T. B. Northcott, D. A. McLean.

No. 82, St. John's, Paris—H. G. Arnald, R. C. Walker, A. M. Telfer, R. R. Hobden, A. W. Mulloy, W. H. Wells.

No. 83, Beaver, Strathroy—G. I. Cuddy, S. Swales, C. W. Olmsted.

No. 84, Clinton, Clinton—H. B. Williams, J. N. Hart, R. E. Thompson, G. H. Jefferson, D. E. Symons.

No. 85, Rising Sun, Athens—K. C. Taplin.

No. 86, Wilson, Toronto—A. H. Anderson, H. Minchinton, H. L. Martyn, J. L. Rook, K. Sabine, A. L. Tinker, C. Cook, C. J. E. Lawer, W. V. McClure, M. C. Drysdale.

No. 87, Markham Union, Markham—F. E. Warne, E. Clark, A. J. Woods, R. J. A. Young, H. C. Coathup.

No. 88, St. George's, Owen Sound—D. P. Low, C. M. Bowman, N. E. Arnott.

No. 90, Manito, Collingwood—R. J. Doherty, W. McFadyen, A. Dempster, G. E. Munro.

No. 91, Colborne, Colborne—R. A. Smith, I. Buchanan, D. D. M. Peebles, L. Gordon, T. J. Cuthbert, A. Wolfram, T. F. Graydon, D. Ives.

No. 92, Cataraqui, Kingston—G. N. Overland, H. L. Martyn, T. N. Clarke.

No. 93, Northern Light, Kincardine—W. N. Ross, H. L. Martyn, E. F. Martyn, G. H. Linklater.

No. 94, St. Mark's, Port Stanley—J. C. Monteith, R. H. Walker, J. L. Brumpton, J. H. Burke, W. A. Burke.

No. 96, Corinthian, Barrie—W. J. Shaw, G. G. Caldwell, A. C. Fraser, B. A. Wilson, H. F. Morren, A. H. Felt, P. A. Sinclair.

No. 97, Sharon, Queensville—W. Hayes, T. Lowndes, D. P. Smith, L. Cowieson, R. G. Strasler, W. J. Cole.

No. 98, True Blue, Bolton—W. H. McBride, M. Irwin, H. Keena, G. L. Hill, P. N. Knight, K. Mactaggart, C. A. Leggett, F. Mactaggart, H. Taylor.

No. 99, Tuscan, Newmarket—C. E. Boyd, R. O. Wonch, T. A. Mitchell, G. W. Cuppage, G. McGlynn, S. Rose.

No. 100, Valley, Dundas—D. L. Finlayson, G. M. Quackenbush, W. E. Dunlop, W. Law, W. A. McPherson, A. N. Hill, A. Brown.

No. 101, Corinthian, Peterborough—E. R. Shirley.

No. 103, Maple Leaf, St. Catharines—J. Barillier, M. Southward, F. E. Sampson, A. W. Russell, H. W. Ballantyne, D. A. Robson, J. Thomson.

No. 104, St. John's, Norwich—W. F. Burrill, F. Hopkins, V. Moore, G. Young, G. W. Muckle, R. O. Fewster, A. B. Arn, H. C. Stevenson, H. A. Butler, C. Culver, N. C. Macwhirter, R. A. Pitz, A. P. Maedel, L. Parker, W. A. Adams, J. C. Topham, E. Jull, J. F. Fritchard, W. F. Hogg, F. McKie, N. C. Hern, V. Coward, H. Howard, H. H. Eggman, W. K. Hartley, H. S. Jull, G. Lowe, N. M. Marshall, W. A. Maedel.

No. 105, St. Mark's, Niagara Falls—A. C. Pratt, T. N. Dewar, K. Stark, H. Higgins, W. Dimond, C. Lundy, W. Johnston.

No. 106, Burford, Burford—J. A. Hardie, H. Davidson, A. Telfer, W. G. Gurney.

No. 107, St. Paul's, Lambeth—D. Hayball, L. McConnell, W. Anguish, K. Crinklaw.

No. 108, Blenheim, Princeton—R. Harmer, M. Riach, J. A. Wallace, O. Fleming, E. Wise, L. Spicer.

No. 109, Albion, Harrowsmith—M. H. Goslin, E. W. Hodgson, B. V. Cassidy, G. M. Spafford, A. W. Hodgson.

No. 110, Central, Prescott—W. H. Whitney.

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M.W. Bro. Harry L. Huether, Past Grand Master.  
R.W. Bro. Claud Shaffer, Grand Secretary.

## MASSACHUSETTS

R.W. Bro. Roland D. Seger, Junior Grand Warden.

## MICHIGAN

R.W. Bro. W. Wallace Kent, Deputy Grand Master.  
M.W. Bro. Charles T. Sherman, Past Grand Master  
and Grand Secretary.

## MINNESOTA

M.W. Bro. Clyde E. Hegman, Grand Master.

## MISSOURI

M.W. Bro. Robert L. Aronson, Grand Master.

## NEW BRUNSWICK

M.W. Bro. Ralph Pearson, Past Grand Master.  
R.W. Bro. Albert C. Lemmon, Grand Secretary.

**NEW JERSEY**

M.W. Bro. William Davies, Grand Master.  
R.W. Bro. Harvey C. Whilsey, Grand Secretary.

**NEW YORK**

M.W. Bro. H. Lloyd Jones, Grand Master.  
R.W. Bro. Robert J. Lansdowne, Past District  
Deputy Grand Master.

**NOVA SCOTIA**

M.W. Bro. Cyril H. Colwell, Grand Master.

**OHIO**

M.W. Bro. Chester Hodges, Grand Master.  
M.W. Bro. Andrew J. White Jr., Past Grand Master  
and Grand Secretary.  
R.W. Bro. E. Robert Chable, Past Grand Chaplain.

**PENNSYLVANIA**

R.W. Bro. Ralph W. Temple, Grand Marshal.

**QUEBEC**

M.W. Bro. Lionel J. Robb, Grand Master.  
M.W. Bro. James M. Marshall, Past Grand Master.

**RHODE ISLAND**

M.W. Bro. Hailes L. Palmer, Grand Master.

**SASKATCHEWAN**

R.W. Bro. A. E. Miscampbell, Grand Treasurer.

**SOUTH CAROLINA**

M.W. Bro. Thomas H. Pope, Grand Master.  
M.W. Bro. A. J. M. Wannamaker, Past Grand Master.

M.W. Bro. John I. Smith, Past Grand Master.  
M.W. Bro. J. Ansel Eaddy, Past Grand Master.

#### TENNESSEE

M.W. Bro. E. Guy Frizzell, Grand Master.  
R.W. Bro. Clarence E. Bayless, Grand Marshal.

#### VERMONT

M.W. Bro. Frank M. Brownell, Grand Master.

#### VIRGINIA

M.W. Bro. S. Dexter Forbes, Grand Master.  
M.W. Bro. Archer B. Gay, Past Grand Master and  
Grand Secretary.

#### WEST VIRGINIA

M.W. Bro. William R. Loper, Grand Master.

#### WISCONSIN

M.W. Bro. Orrin H. Larrabee, Grand Master.  
R.W. Bro. Paul W. Grossenbach, Grand Secretary.

#### MASONIC RELIEF ASSOCIATION

W. Bro. Howard A. Clark, Secretary.

The Grand Master extended a very cordial welcome to our distinguished guests, after which, led by the Grand Director of Ceremonies, Grand Honours were given.

#### PAST GRAND MASTERS

The Deputy Grand Master presented to the guests and to Grand Lodge our Past Grand Masters who were all present, namely: M.W. Bros. Frank A. Copus, W. J. Dunlop, J. A. McRae, C. S. Hamilton, T. H. Simpson, J. P. Maher, N. C. Hart, J. A. Hearn, and W. L. Wright.

## WELCOME BY TORONTO LODGES

R.W. Bro. D. A. Peters, D.D.G.M., presented the other District Deputy Grand Masters of the Toronto Districts and the Worshipful Masters of the 122 lodges in the Districts. On their behalf Wor. Bro. David Forrester, the Master of Mimico Lodge, No. 369, extended to the Grand Master and to the members of Grand Lodge a most cordial welcome. The Grand Master made suitable reply.

## MINUTES

The Grand Secretary proceeded to read the Minutes of the last meeting held in Toronto on July 16, 1958, when it was moved by the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by M.W. Bro. F. A. Copus, and resolved: That inasmuch as the Minutes of the last Annual Communication held in Toronto have been printed and distributed to all constituent lodges the same be now taken as read and confirmed.

## RULES OF ORDER

The Rules of Order as prescribed by the Constitution governing the conduct of the meeting were read by the Grand Secretary.

## ORDER OF BUSINESS

It was moved by the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by M.W. Bro. F. A. Copus, and unanimously carried, that the Order of Business of this Annual Communication be changed at the discretion of the Grand Master.

## GRAND MASTER'S ADDRESS

To the Officers and Members of the Most Worshipful the Grand Lodge, A.F. & A.M., of Canada, in the Province of Ontario.

My Brethren:

As the sands of time run steadily through the hour glasses that measure our sojourn here, we

realize how quickly the year passes. It seems but last week that I stood in this place and made my report to the Craft on the activities of the preceding year. Again it is my pleasure to welcome back to the deliberations of Grand Lodge the Brethren from the Lodges that serve the communities in this great province. It is always an inspiration to appear before this great assembly and to feel that with all present, Masonry is a vital and living force that moves on towards the high ideals that our fore-fathers have set and maintained in days gone by. I hope that those I welcome to-day will derive profit and pleasure from attendance at this One Hundred and Fourth Annual Communication.

The pleasant duty of acting as host to distinguished guests is always a happy privilege. To-day we have many outstanding visitors who represent several Grand Lodges from the Dominion and from the States of the United States. With these we also have some of the heads of other Masonic Bodies. Many of our guests have acted as hosts to representatives of our Grand Lodge on other occasions. We hope that we can do a good job of showing our appreciation for your hospitality in the past. May your stay among us be pleasant. May you take away pleasant memories of your visit. Please carry back our good wishes and fraternal greetings to your Brethren.

The Crown has at all times been significant to the peoples of the Commonwealth as the institution which binds us by love and loyalty to the reigning monarch. To-day as we meet, all Masons in Canada are pleased and proud that Her Majesty, Queen Elizabeth II and His Royal Highness, The Duke of Edinburgh are on tour in our country. The demonstrations of loyalty they have met as they have journeyed through this land must make us proud of the heritage that is ours as citizens of this fair land who in these weeks have the Sovereign within our bounds. A resolution expressive of our loyalty will be presented during this Annual Com-

munication for your approval. When passed, it will be forwarded to Her Majesty.

Since last we met the conditions under which we live have changed but little. We seem to have moved further into what might be termed the Atomic Age or the Space Age. Tensions seem to grip the nations of the earth and man still hopes and longs for relief from fear of what the future may hold. As attempts are made to promote better understanding among men and nations, we in the Craft can hope that the spirit of brotherly love and understanding may be applied beyond our Lodges. We must hold fast to our principles and make those principles a part of our lives so that their significance will not be lost and that they may shine as a beacon in a world that needs light.

A Mason once said, "I am always happy to be around Masons, for as Masons we are young in heart and look ahead in life. No builder is living in the past. A builder is always planning for to-morrow, or he would not be building. The spirit of the Masonic Lodge is looking ahead to the future. Youth lives in the future. Old age lives in the past." It does seem that Masonry must retain its youth in that it must be always planning for the future. I am sure our outlook is as youthful to-day as it has ever been. We must have our plans to make sure that our contribution to the structure is worthy of the Masonry that was given to us by those youthful Masons who planned in other days.

### IN MEMORIAM

It is fitting that we should pay a tribute to those who have received the final call since last we met. Many of those we knew and loved in other days have been called to that place where more light is available. We honour their memory this day and we thank the Great Architect that it was our happy privilege to know them as true friends. To all those in their immediate family circle, we offer our sympathy. May they find comfort in the

promises of the Great Comforter. The Chairman of the Committee on Fraternal Dead will report in detail later in the sessions. I want to mention two who were with us last year, and a third who had visited us many times.

Very Worshipful Brother Ernest B. Thompson passed on suddenly at his home in Hamilton on March 10, 1959. For thirty-one years he served as Chairman of Scrutineers at the annual elections of this Grand Lodge. Our late Brother Thompson had been associated with the business world of his native city all his adult life. During World War I he had a very distinguished record of service overseas with the Canadian Army. He was quite active as an active member of the Supreme Council A. & A. S. Rite for the Dominion of Canada, in which body he held the office of Grand Secretary-General at the time of his death. We extend our heartfelt sympathy to Mrs. Thompson and his three brothers.

Our sister Grand Lodge of Quebec was bereaved in the passing of Right Worshipful Brother Reginald W. Louthood on March 18, 1959. At the time of his death he had been a member of the Masonic Order for 51 years and had served his Grand Lodge as Grand Secretary since April 1951. He will be missed wherever Masons meet in Canada as he was known and loved from east to west. To Mrs. Louthood and his sons and daughter we offer our sincere sympathy. Accompanied by the Deputy Grand Master and the Grand Secretary, I attended our late Brother's funeral service from St. Mathias' Church, Montreal, on March 21st. Just one short month before, he was so busy.

Almost on the eve of the Annual Communication, the Grand Lodge of Saskatchewan lost their Grand Secretary in the person of Most Worshipful Brother Robert A. Tate. Even though his health had not been up to par for some time, he fully expected to be in his place when the Grand Lodge met on June 17, 1959. On the Saturday before, he answered

the last great call and others had to officiate at his desk in Grand Lodge. Brother Tate succeeded his father in the office of Grand Secretary in 1938, after having been the Assistant Grand Secretary since 1920. The Grand Lodge of Saskatchewan conferred the Honorary Rank of Past Grand Master on him at the time of their Fiftieth Anniversary in 1956. Besides extending our heartfelt sympathy to our sister Grand Lodge, we offer our condolences to Mrs. Tate, the two daughters and the two sons. May they find comfort and consolation from the Great Comforter. Our Grand Lodge was represented at the funeral from the First Presbyterian Church of Regina by Most Worshipful Brother Fred C. Wilson, P.G.M., our Representative near the Grand Lodge of Saskatchewan.

## CANADIAN CONFERENCE

The Sixth Biennial Conference of Canadian Grand and District Grand Lodges was held in Montreal on February 19th, 20th and 21st of this year. I was accompanied there by M.W. Brother J. A. McRae, M. Wor. Brother N. C. Hart, the Deputy Grand Master and the Grand Secretary. All the Canadian Grand Lodges were represented by their Grand Masters and others. The two District Grand Lodges of Newfoundland were also represented. I was honoured in that it was my privilege to preside at the Conference. It was quite interesting and profitable to have the opportunity of meeting and discussing Masonic problems with sister Grand Lodges.

## GRAND MASTERS' AND GRAND SECRETARIES' CONFERENCES

These Conferences were held in the city of Washington, D.C. on February 23rd, 24th and 25th of this year. Your Grand Master was accompanied there by M. Wor. Bro. J. A. Hearn, the Deputy Grand Master and the Grand Secretary. The agenda contained many topics of Masonic interest and it

was of great benefit to be able to meet those who administer the affairs of the Grand Lodges on this continent. Eight of the Canadian Grand Masters attended this year. I would think that is close to a record for us. M. Wor. Bro. D. M. Sinclair, the Grand Master of Nova Scotia, was the President of the Conference. Your Grand Master is a member of the Commission on Information for Recognition of this Conference.

## FELICITATIONS

Our distinguished and much-loved dean of the Past Grand Masters was privileged to celebrate two anniversaries during this Masonic year. On December 30th, 1958, he and his bride celebrated the Fifty-fifth anniversary of their wedding. Then on March 18th, 1959, he celebrated the eightieth anniversary of his birth. In honour of this birthday his fellow-members in the Grand East put on a birthday party for him on April 4th. I can assure you, Brethren, that it was a wonderful party and we all had a good time, even the one who blew out the candles. I am sure all Masons in our Grand Lodge and elsewhere extend the warmest good wishes to M. Wor. Brother and Mrs. Copus on these happy events. May many more follow is our fondest wish.

## APPOINTMENTS

During the year I made the following appointments;

- (a) Very Wor. Brother George W. Porter of Ulster Lodge, No. 537, as a Grand Steward, on January 5th, 1959.
- (b) Very Wor. Brother Wilfred Campbell, of Bruce Lodge, No. 341, Tiverton, as a Grand Steward, on October 17th, 1958.
- (c) Very Wor. Brother James Monkhouse, of Cassia Lodge, No. 116, Thedford, as a Grand Steward, on March 31st, 1959.

In each of these three cases I would request that Grand Lodge confer past rank on them in these offices.

## DONATIONS

During the year I authorized donations from our General Fund in the following amounts:

Crippled Children's Hospital .....	\$1,000.00
Ontario Society for Retarded Children .....	500.00
Boy Scouts (Ontario) .....	500.00
Girl Guides (Ontario) .....	500.00
Salvation Army (Red Shield) .....	500.00
Cancer Society (Ontario) .....	500.00

I now ask your approval of these donations.

On June 16, 1959, a destructive fire swept an area of the town of Lanark, the home of Evergreen Lodge, No. 209. The lodge-room, the warrant, all the lodge records and all the lodge furniture were destroyed. Permission was granted immediately for the Lodge to meet for the time being in the lodge-room at Perth and without warrant until such time as a duplicate warrant could be issued. An immediate grant was made from the funds of Grand Lodge in the amount of \$1,000.00 to assist in this disaster. An appraisal is being made as this is being written, to ascertain if further assistance is needed. I ask the approval of Grand Lodge for this donation. At the same time I feel that all Lodges should review the protection of a financial nature that is carried on their premises and equipment. Disaster may strike in your area, so take heed while you can.

## PAST RANK

1. Because the by-laws of Doric Lodge, No. 58, were changed to have the installation one month earlier, W. Bro. W. C. G. Collins served as Master for eleven months. His Lodge has submitted a request for past rank for him in that

office. I recommend that he be given the rank of Past Master.

2. Due to the regular meeting of Rehoboam Lodge, No. 65, falling on a holiday at installation time, a dispensation was granted to hold the regular meeting three days earlier. Because of this change W. Bro. T. T. Birkett served three days less than the statutory time required for past rank. His Lodge has requested that he be granted the rank of Past Master. I so recommend to Grand Lodge.
3. Due to the regular meeting of Maple Leaf Lodge, No. 103, falling on a holiday at installation time, a dispensation was granted to hold the regular meeting one week earlier. Because of this change W. Bro. R. W. Sher served one week less than the statutory time for past rank. His Lodge has requested that he be granted the rank of Past Master. I recommend that Grand Lodge grant the rank of Past Master to W. Bro. R. W. Sher.
4. Because of a change of by-laws in Lebanon Forest Lodge, No. 133, W. Bro. Ernest Cerson served 19 days less than the statutory time for past rank. His Lodge has requested past rank for him. I recommend that W. Bro. Cerson be granted the rank of Past Master.
5. Because of a change of by-laws in Caledonian Lodge, No. 249, changing the date of installation from December 27 to the first Monday in December, W. Bro. W. M. Perrin served twenty-six days less than the statutory time for past rank. His Lodge has requested past rank for him. I recommend that Grand Lodge grant the rank of Past Master to W. Bro. W. M. Perrin.
6. Because of a change of by-laws in King Solomon's Lodge, No. 378, W. Bro. Norman E. Murton served 2 weeks less than the statutory

time for past rank. The Lodge has requested past rank for him. I recommend that W. Bro. Norman E. Murton be granted the rank of Past Master.

7. Due to the regular meeting of Alpha Lodge, No. 384, falling on January 1, 1959, a dispensation was issued to hold that regular meeting on December 29, 1958. Because of this change, W. Bro. Joseph Gibson had served 3 days less than the statutory time for past rank. His Lodge has requested the same and I recommend that Grand Lodge grant the rank of Past Master to W. Bro. Joseph Gibson.
8. W. Brother Ken J. Brown, Worshipful Master of Spry Lodge, No. 385, Beeton, found it necessary to seek work outside the area served by his Lodge. He had been unemployed for some time before he was able to secure a position at St. Jean, Quebec. Up to September he had been faithful in his attendance to his duties as Master of the Lodge. His Lodge has requested that he be granted past rank and I recommend that Grand Lodge grant him the rank of Past Master.
9. Harmony Lodge, No. 438, received a special dispensation to hold their regular meeting two weeks earlier than provided by by-law. This was the meeting at which the officers were to be installed and invested. The reason for change was that the Master-elect, who is a clergyman, had to attend a very important meeting of the clergy of his church at the time of the regular meeting. Because of this change of date the Master, W. Bro. Edward A. Hanley, had served two weeks less than the statutory time for past rank. His Lodge has requested that he be granted past rank and I so recommend to Grand Lodge.
10. Granite Lodge, No. 446, has applied for past rank for Wor. Bro. Joseph Sleeman who served

as Master of that Lodge from December, 1951, until April, 1952. At the time of his resignation he was transferred by his employers, the Dominion Government, to Winnipeg, Manitoba. In the letter from the Lodge it is pointed out that he had served in the offices as Warden for two consecutive years in a very satisfactory manner and since his change of residence was quite unavoidable, I recommend that Grand Lodge grant him the rank of Past Master.

11. W. Bro. T. W. Christilaw was installed as Worshipful Master of Penewobikong Lodge, No. 487, to serve after the Master had resigned. He served as Master for the next ten months to the entire satisfaction of all the members. His Lodge has requested past rank for him and I recommend that Grand Lodge grant him the rank of Past Master.
12. W. Bro. William E. Davies of Electric Lodge, No. 495, has served 4 days less than the statutory time for past rank. This was due to a change in the date for the installation of officers. His Lodge has requested that he be granted past rank and I so recommend to Grand Lodge.
13. W. Bro. G. S. Statham of Reba Lodge, No. 515, has served five days less than the statutory time for past rank because of a change of date of installation of officers. His Lodge has requested past rank for him and I so recommend to Grand Lodge.
14. Because the by-laws of Phoenix Lodge, No. 535, Fonthill, were changed W. Bro. E. H. Treitz served half a month less than the statutory time for past rank. His Lodge has requested that Grand Lodge grant him the rank of Past Master. I so recommend.
15. Because the regular meeting of Queen City Lodge, No. 552, Toronto, fell on New Year's Day,

the installation of officers was held on January 15, 1958. This meant that W. Bro. Tom Paveling served one week less than the statutory time for past rank since he left that office on January 7, 1959. His Lodge has requested that he be granted the rank of Past Master and I so recommend to Grand Lodge.

16. An urgent request has been received for the granting of past rank to Brother J. Russell Sweet of Hornepayne Lodge, No. 636. Brother Sweet served as Worshipful Master of Hornepayne Lodge from December, 1950, until a successor was installed in March, 1951. He had to resign as his employers, the Canadian National Telegraphs, transferred him to Sarnia at that time. A similar request was declined by M. Wor. Brother Hart on his behalf in 1952. Brother Sweet, since moving to Sarnia, has given invaluable service to Tuscan Lodge, No. 437, though he has never held an office in that Lodge. M.W. Bro. Hart states, in dealing with this case, "W. Bro. Sweet has been highly commended for his assistance to Tuscan Lodge, No. 437, Sarnia. However, I do not believe that the circumstances warrant the recognition of two Past Masters for Hornepayne Lodge in 1951."

When Bro. Sweet resigned he was succeeded in office by Wor. Bro. C. W. Worth who held the rank of Past Master at the time he became Master of Hornepayne Lodge in March, 1951.

In view of the fact that a Past Master finished the year of 1951 and because of Brother Sweet's continued service and interest in the Craft, and his diligence while serving his Lodge as an officer, I now recommend that Grand Lodge grant the request of Hornepayne Lodge by conferring the rank of Past Master on Brother J. Russell Sweet.

17. Since the regular meeting of Scarboro Lodge, No. 653, fell on December 25th last year, a

dispensation was issued to hold the same on December 22, 1958. Because of this the Master, Wor. Bro. Albert S. Joyce, served three days less than the statutory time for past rank. His Lodge has requested that he be granted the rank of Past Master and I so recommend to Grand Lodge.

18. For reasons beyond the control of the Lodge, Woodland Lodge, No. 680, at Wawa, had to postpone the installation of officers from September to their October meeting in 1957. Because of this Wor. Bro. R. Jack Latimer has served one month less than the statutory time for past rank. His Lodge has requested that the rank of Past Master be granted and I so recommend to Grand Lodge.
19. Minden Lodge, No. 253 have petitioned for past rank for the late Worshipful Brother William Harry Irvine. Brother Irvine was installed as Worshipful Master on December 2, 1958. He died on March 20, 1959. I recommend to Grand Lodge that past rank be conferred on Brother Irvine, posthumously.

#### RECOGNITION OF ONE HUNDRED YEARS OF ACTIVE EXISTENCE

Requests from several Lodges were received for permission to wear gold braid, under section 262, in recognition of 100 years of active existence. Such permission has been granted to the following:

- (a) Colborne Lodge, No. 91, Colborne, as of 8th January, 1958.
- (b) St. Paul's Lodge, No. 107, Lambeth, as of 29th July, 1958.
- (c) Blenheim Lodge, No. 108, Princeton, as of 29th July, 1958.
- (d) Central Lodge, No. 110, Prescott, as of 14th December, 1958.

- (e) Wilson Lodge, No. 113, Waterford, as of 6th April, 1959.
- (f) Ivy Lodge, No. 115, Beamsville, as of 9th August, 1959.
- (g) Maple Leaf Lodge, No. 119, Bath, as of 27th October, 1959.
- (h) Warren Lodge, No. 120, Fingal, as of 15th October, 1959.
- (i) Golden Rule Lodge, No. 126, Campbellford, as of 14th March, 1960.
- (j) Lebanon Forest Lodge, No. 133, Exeter as of 28th May, 1960.
- (k) Richardson Lodge, No. 136, Stouffville, as of 16th June, 1960.
- (l) Pythagoras Lodge, No. 137, Meaford, as of 13th January, 1960.
- (m) Civil Service Lodge, No. 148, Ottawa, as of 14th May, 1961.

### **GRAND REPRESENTATIVES APPOINTED**

During the year I was pleased to recommend the following to the respective Grand Masters concerned and they in turn confirmed their appointments:

North Carolina .....	V.W. Bro. A. C. Ashforth
Tennessee .....	V.W. Bro. Ed. Balfour
Colombia, Barranquilla ..	V.W. Bro. T. H. W. Martin
Maine .....	R.W. Bro. Walter T. Overend

On the recommendation of the Grand Masters concerned I was pleased to appoint the following as our representatives near their Grand Lodges:

Prince Edward Island .	R.W. Bro. F. A. VanDerstine
Idaho .....	W. Bro. Robert Berg
Denmark .....	M.W. Bro. Alfred Nyvang
Para (Brazil) .....	Dr. Otto L. Hiltner

### **LODGE CENTENNIAL CELEBRATIONS**

Many of our Lodges celebrated the reaching of the one hundred year milestone during the year.

All Masons extend to them congratulations and good wishes on this happy occasion. The Grand Master was able to be present and join in the festivities at the following:

Northern Light Lodge, No. 93, at Kincardine, on October 17, 1958.

Markham Union Lodge, No. 87, at Markham, on October 29, 1958.

Colborne Lodge, No. 91, Colborne, on June 25, 1959.

### **NEW LODGES INSTITUTED**

During the year the following Lodges received dispensations and were instituted:

Harry L. Martyn Lodge, U.D., Toronto, September 29th, 1958, by R.W. Bro. H. F. Norman, D.D.G.M.

Grantham Lodge, U.D., Port Dalhousie, on September 29th, 1958, by M.W. Bro. W. J. Dunlop, P.G.M.

Elliott Lake Lodge, U.D., Elliott Lake, on February 11th, 1959, by R.W. Bro. F. H. Pearse, D.D.G.M.

Bethel Lodge, U.D., Sudbury, on February 13th, 1959, by R.W. Bro. F. H. Pearse, D.D.G.M.

Corinthian Lodge, U.D., Kintore, on March 17th, 1959, by R.W. Bro. W. A. Chesney, D.D.G.M.

### **LODGES CONSTITUTED AND CONSECRATED**

At our last Annual Communication of Grand Lodge warrants were granted to five new Lodges. The interesting ceremonies of Constituting and Consecrating were conducted in the presence of large groups of Masons. These are the names and dates:

Baldoon Lodge, No. 694, Wallaceburg, on the 13th of September, 1958, by M.W. Bro. H. L. Martyn, Grand Master.

Friendship Lodge, No. 691, Copper Cliff, on the 20th of September, 1958, by M.W. Bro. W. L. Wright, P.G.M.

East Gate Lodge, No. 693, Agincourt, on the 26th of September, 1958, by M.W. Bro. Joseph A. Hearn, P.G.M.

Thomas Hamilton Simpson Lodge, No. 692, Stoney Creek, on the 10th of October, 1958, by M.W. Bro. T. H. Simpson, P.G.M.

Parkwood Lodge, No. 695, Oshawa, on the 22nd of October, 1958, by M.W. Bro. H. L. Martyn, Grand Master.

### LODGE ROOMS DEDICATED

Once again we have been pleased and proud to arrange for the dedication of many new lodge premises. Grand Lodge is indebted to V.W. Bro. Geo. T. Evans for the assistance he and his committee have given the Lodges in planning new quarters. We congratulate the Lodges for their fine effort in undertaking building projects. The Grand Master offers grateful thanks to all who so willingly assisted in the ceremonies of Dedication. The following Dedications were conducted this year:

The new Masonic Temple at Wallaceburg on September 13th, 1958, by M.W. Bro. H. L. Martyn, Grand Master.

Excelsior Lodge, No. 142, Morrisburg, on the 17th of October, 1958, by R.W. Bro. C. M. Pitts, Deputy Grand Master.

Thistle Lodge, No. 34, Amherstburg, on the 24th of April, 1959, by R.W. Bro. B. B. Foster, P.D.D.G.M.

King Edward Lodge, No. 488, Harrow, on the 25th of April, 1959, by R.W. Bro. J. A. Irvine, Past Grand Senior Warden.

Cobden Lodge, No. 459, Cobden, and unveiling of the corner stone, on the 8th of May, 1959, by R.W. Bro. C. M. Pitts, Deputy Grand Master.

Wales Lodge, No. 458, Long Sault, on the 9th of May, 1959, by M.W. Bro. H. L. Martyn, Grand Master.

Muskoka Lodge, No. 360, Bracebridge, on the 23rd of May, 1959, by M.W. Bro. H. L. Martyn, Grand Master.

Richmond Lodge, No. 23, Richmond Hill, on the 1st of June, 1959, by M.W. Bro. H. L. Martyn, Grand Master.

Markham Union Lodge, No. 87, Markham, on the 5th of June, 1959, by R.W. Bro. John R. Rumball, Past Grand Senior Warden.

## VISITATIONS WITHIN OUR JURISDICTION

During the last year I was able to arrange visits to all Districts that I had not visited the previous year. Some of these are reported above as I dedicated a new Hall on some of the visits. On others I combined a Centennial Celebration with the District Meeting. I list the following, and in so doing I want to thank the Brethren for their warm welcome which was so evident on all visits:

The North Huron District at Kincardine on October 17, 1958. I was accompanied by R.W. Bro. E. L. James, Grand Senior Warden.

The Temiskaming District at Timmins on October 25, 1958. I was accompanied by the Grand Secretary.

The Victoria District at Kinmount on December 5, 1958. I was accompanied by the Grand Senior Warden, R. W. Bro. Cain and R.W. Bro. Loftus,

The Niagara A & B Districts at St. Catharines on January 22, 1959, I was accompanied by the Grand Secretary and the Grand Senior Warden.

The Ottawa District on March 20, 1959. I was met there by the Deputy Grand Master and was accompanied by the Grand Secretary.

The London District on March 25, 1959. I was accompanied by R.W. Bro. R. L. Elsie, D.D.G.M., Toronto District B-2.

The Toronto Districts B-1, B-2 and D, on March 30, 1959. Many of the officers of Grand Lodge attended.

The Nipissing East District at New Liskeard on March 31, 1959.

The Nipissing West District at Sault Ste. Marie on April 1, 1959. I was met by M.W. Bro. Wright and was almost accompanied by the Grand Secretary and the Grand Senior Warden who were left grounded at Malton Airport. However, the Grand Junior Warden was on hand.

The Wellington District at Preston on November 3, 1958. I was accompanied by the Grand Chaplain and others.

The South Huron District at St. Mary's on April 10, 1959.

The Peterborough District at Peterborough on April 30, 1959. I was accompanied by the Grand Senior Warden and W. Bro. Buckingham.

The Eastern District at Long Sault on May 9, 1959. I was accompanied by the Grand Secretary and the Grand Senior Warden.

The Muskoka District on May 23, 1959 at Bracebridge. I was accompanied by the Grand Senior Warden and W. Bro. Buckingham.

The Bruce District on May 29, 1959 at Walkerton.

The Ontario District at Brighton on June 25, 1959. This meeting was in conjunction with the Centennial Celebrations of Colborne Lodge, No. 91.

## VISITATIONS TO OTHER GRAND JURISDICTIONS

It was quite impossible to accept all invitations that were received. The fact that we were invited to so many is an indication of the high regard in which we are held by our sister Grand Lodges. Several outstanding Masonic events were held this year and it was possible for us to be represented at some. I list those at which we were able to have representatives;

The Grand Lodge of California, the dedication of the magnificent Memorial Building, September

29th, 1958. Attended by the Grand Master and the Grand Secretary.

The Grand Lodge of Ohio, Sesqui-Centennial, October 9th, 1958. Attended by the Grand Master and the Grand Secretary.

The Grand Lodge of Illinois, October 9th, 1958. Attended by M. W. Bro. Joseph A. Hearn, Past Grand Master.

The Grand Lodge of Maryland, November 17, 1958. Attended by the Grand Master.

The Grand Lodge of Washington, December 6th, 1958. Attended by M.W. Bro. W. L. Wright, P.G.M.

The Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania, December 27th, 1958. Attended by the Grand Master.

The Grand Lodge of Massachusetts, 225th Anniversary, December 29th, 1958. Attended by the Grand Master and the Grand Secretary.

The Grand Lodge of North Carolina, April 21st, 1959. Attended by the Grand Master.

The Grand Lodge of South Carolina, April 24th, 1959. Attended by the Grand Master.

The Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons, April 28th, 1959. Attended by the Grand Master and the Grand Secretary.

The Grand Lodge of New York, May 4th, 1959. Attended by the Grand Master.

The Grand Lodge of Indiana, May 19th, 1959. Attended by the Grand Master and the Grand Secretary.

The Grand Lodge of Michigan, May 26th, 1959. Attended by the Grand Master and the Grand Senior Warden.

The Grand Lodge of Quebec, June 4th, 1959. Attended by M.W. Bro. Joseph A. Hearn, Past Grand Master.

The Grand Lodge of Alberta, June 10th, 1959. Attended by the Grand Master.

The Grand Lodge of Saskatchewan, June 17th, 1959. Attended by R.W. Bro. C. M. Pitts, Deputy Grand Master.

The Grand Lodge of British Columbia, June 18th, 1959. Attended by the Grand Master.

### HONORARY RANK

It is a rare occasion for honorary rank to be conferred on any in our Grand Lodge. According to the records this has not happened to any of our own members since 1925. For many years the late V.W. Bro. Ernest B. Thompson had acted as the Chairman of our Scrutineers and V.W. Bro. James W. Hamilton has acted as the Chairman of the Committee on Credentials. All in Grand Lodge are fully aware of the wonderful contribution they have made to the Craft in the days that are past. It is with sincere regret that I did not make this recommendation one year ago. However, life contains too many of those regrets. I would now recommend that the honorary rank of Past Grand Senior Warden be conferred on our late Very Worshipful Brother Ernest B. Thompson, posthumously; and that the honorary rank of Past Grand Senior Warden be conferred on Very Worshipful Brother James W. Hamilton in recognition of valuable services rendered to this Grand Lodge.

### GRAND MASTER'S BANQUET

A session of Grand Lodge would not be complete without the Grand Master's Banquet. This year R.W. Brother Dr. E. Robert Chable is our guest speaker. He is an outstanding orator and a devoted Mason. I am sure he will bring us a real inspirational message. I am indebted to Most Worshipful Brother J. A. Hearn the Chairman of the Committee on Arrangements and to M. Wor. Bro. Maher, R. Wor. Bro. Dixon and R. W. Bro, Bailey who have so ably assisted in making the arrangements for this banquet.

### MASONIC COURTESIES

During the year I have had many kindnesses shown me by the Brethren everywhere I travelled.

I wish to acknowledge them and pass on my sincere thanks to the Masons I have met and served. Many Lodges have done me the honour of conferring honorary membership on me. I am deeply grateful for these expressions of your confidence and respect. I shall try to show my appreciation for your kindness. It has been a great privilege to serve as your Grand Master and I thank you for the consideration and encouragement I received as I tried to do the job.

### CONCLUSION

As the words go on the pages I can almost see the end of a term of office that has had many rich and rewarding experiences. I want to express my thanks to all who have assisted me in carrying out my duties and responsibilities. To the Past Grand Masters and the Deputy Grand Master I can only say a sincere "THANK YOU" for ready help and assistance at all times. The Craft owes you much and I hope to find a place among your numbers about thirty-eight hours from now. No Grand Master was better served by his District Deputy Grand Masters than I have been for the last two years. You will notice that this report contains no comments on discipline. I am sure that, in itself, is significant of the good work that is being done by our officers in the Districts. I am more than happy with the assistance that the appointed officers of Grand Lodge have given to Masonry. I thank you for your help and I hope you derived much pleasure from the opportunities you have had to serve Masonry this year.

I want to pass on a special word of appreciation to the members of the Board of General Purposes and particularly the Chairmen of the Committees. The Grand Master gets an opportunity to know how lucky he is when he visits Grand Lodges where no Board exists. Grand Lodge is much indebted to you for the use of your talents and administrative abilities which you give so freely to Masonry.

It is not a complete report without the commendations which are due the Grand Secretary and

his office staff. I want to thank the Grand Secretary for making the load as light as possible. May you and your staff be long spared to carry on your work. My personal wish is that before next session rolls around you will be housed in the new Grand Lodge Offices. I am reasonably certain that that will be true.

Thus we wind up the administration term of the forty-eighth Grand Master. I have tried to give you my best effort and I thank you for the privilege of serving you. May I close with this Masonic Benediction:

“May no strife disturb thy days, nor sorrow disturb thy nights, and may the pillow of peace kiss thy cheek, and the pleasures of imagination attend thy dreams; and when length of years hath made thee tired of earthly joys, and the curtains of death close around the scene of thy existence, may the angels of God attend thy bed and take care that the expiring lamp of life shall not receive even one rude blast to hasten its extinction; and finally may the blessing of God wash thee free from all impurities and prepare thee to enter into the land of everlasting happiness.”

Most cordially and fraternally,

HARRY L. MARTYN,

Grand Master.

## APPENDIX A

### Dedications

The following lodge rooms have been dedicated: The new Masonic Temple at Wallaceburg on September 13th, 1958, by M.W. Bro. H. L. Martyn, Grand Master.

Excelsior Lodge, No. 142, Morrisburg, on the 17th of October, 1958, by R.W. Bro. C. M. Pitts, Deputy Grand Master.

Thistle Lodge, No. 34, Amherstburg, on the 24th of April, 1959, by R.W. Bro. B. B. Foster, P.D.D.G.M.

King Edward Lodge, No. 488, Harrow, on the 25th of April, 1959, by R.W. Bro. J. A. Irvine, Past Grand Senior Warden.

Cobden Lodge, No. 459, Cobden, and unveiling of the corner stone, on the 8th of May, 1959, by R.W. Bro. C. M. Pitts, Deputy Grand Master.

Wales Lodge, No. 458, Long Sault, on the 9th of May, 1959, by M.W. Bro. H. L. Martyn, Grand Master.

Muskoka Lodge, No. 360, Bracebridge, on the 23rd of May, 1959, by M.W. Bro. H. L. Martyn, Grand Master.

Richmond Lodge, No. 23, Richmond Hill, on the 1st of June, 1959, by M.W. Bro. H. L. Martyn, Grand Master.

Markham Union Lodge, No. 87, Markham, on the 5th of June, 1959, by R.W. Bro. John R. Rumball, Past Grand Senior Warden.

### LODGES CONSTITUTED AND CONSECRATED

Baldoon Lodge, No. 694, Wallaceburg, on the 13th of September, 1958, by M.W. Bro. H. L. Martyn, Grand Master.

Friendship Lodge, No. 691, Copper Cliff, on the 20th of September, 1958, by M.W. Bro. W. L. Wright, P.G.M.

East Gate Lodge, No. 693, Agincourt, on the 26th of September, 1958, by M.W. Bro. Joseph A. Hearn, P.G.M.

Thomas Hamilton Simpson Lodge, No. 692, Stoney Creek, on the 10th of October, 1958, by M.W. Bro. T. H. Simpson, P.G.M.

Parkwood Lodge, No. 695, Oshawa, on the 22nd of October, 1958, by M.W. Bro. H. L. Martyn, Grand Master.

### LODGES INSTITUTED

Harry L. Martyn Lodge, U.D., Toronto, September 29th, 1958, by R.W. Bro. H. F. Norman, D.D.G.M.  
Grantham Lodge, U.D., Port Dalhousie, on September 29th, 1958, by M.W. Bro. W. J. Dunlop, P.G.M.

Elliot Lake Lodge, U.D., Elliot Lake, on February 11th, 1959, by R.W. Bro. F. H. Pearse, D.D.G.M.  
Bethel Lodge, U.D., Sudbury, on February 13th, 1959,  
by R.W. Bro. F. H. Pearse, D.D.G.M.  
Corinthian Lodge, U.D., Kintore, on March 17th, 1959, by R.W. Bro. W. A. Chesney, D.D.G.M.

### APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE ON THE GRAND MASTER'S ADDRESS

At the conclusion of the Address it was moved by M.W. Bro. T. H. Simpson, seconded by M.W. Bro. N. C. Hart, and carried: That a committee composed of all the Past Grand Masters present, with M.W. Bro. W. J. Dunlop as Chairman, consider and report to Grand Lodge on the Grand Master's Address. The motion was put by the Deputy Grand Master.

### REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE GRAND MASTER'S ADDRESS

To the Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

The Brethren will observe that this Report is not addressed to the Grand Master, the reason being that Grand Lodge is now to decide, by adoption or non-adoption of your Committee's Report, whether the rulings, decisions, and recommendations reported or made by the Grand Master in his Address are to be confirmed, approved, and adopted or not. When you return home, you will read the Address carefully, at your leisure, and you will enjoy reading it because it is a detailed report of a year's activities written by one who is an expert and experienced administrator. No theorist is our Grand Master but a practical and an efficient Grand Lodge Officer.

You have heard him read his eloquent tribute to two distinguished Freemasons who, after rendering excellent service over a great many years, passed to the Grand Lodge Above in March last. Your Committee recommends that, complying with his request, past rank be conferred on the three brethren whom he appointed Grand Stewards during the year.

Your Committee approves, of course, of the charitable donations made under the Grand Master's authority and includes in this approval the recent donation of One Thousand Dollars to the Lanark Relief Fund. Undoubtedly Grand

Lodge will take Evergreen Lodge No. 209 under its protecting wing.

Is it not remarkable that, for various good reasons, no fewer than nineteen brethren were unable to preside over their Lodges for the full twelve months required to entitle them to rank as Past Master? We concur in the Grand Master's recommendations that Grand Lodge admit them to that rank. How gratifying it is to hear that during the year there were no incidents requiring disciplinary action! Perhaps we should present the Grand Master, symbolically at least, with a pair of white gloves!

To the noble thirteen Lodges that have been recognized as being of the full age of one hundred years, your Committee extends its congratulations and commends the Grand Master for his action in giving them permission to wear gold braid. The Grand Master was present at the Centennial Celebrations of three Lodges; eight Grand Representatives were appointed; five new Lodges were instituted; five Lodges were constituted and consecrated; and nine new lodge premises were dedicated. Truly a year of activity, a year of expansion.

But when you read the list of Visitations you will be amazed, as the members of your Committee have been, that the Grand Master could travel so widely without apparent exhaustion. It would seem that he has made an all-time record as a traveller.

Your Committee concurs in the Grand Master's recommendation that honorary past rank as Grand Senior Warden be conferred on V.W. Bro. James W. Hamilton and posthumously on the late V.W. Bro. E. B. Thompson. In each case this honour has been well deserved, well earned, well merited.

You have heard, and you will wish to read, the eloquent and inspiring Introduction and the equally moving Conclusion to the Address. As Most Worshipful Brother Harry L. Martyn completes his two-year term of office, he carries with him your Committee's cordial congratulations on the great success he has achieved and its best wishes for many years of good health in which to serve Grand Lodge as a Past Grand Master. All he has reported in his Address is hereby confirmed and validated by Grand Lodge.

With the highest regard, esteem, and affection for the Grand Master, this Report is respectfully submitted to Grand Lodge.

Frank A. Copus, J. A. McRae, C. S. Hamilton, T. H. Simpson, J. P. Maher, N. C. Hart, J. A. Hearn, W. L. Wright, and W. J. Dunlop, Chairman.

On motion of M.W. Bro. W. J. Dunlop, seconded by M.W. Bro. F. A. Copus, the report was received and adopted.

## LETTERS OF REGRET

The Grand Secretary advised that several letters and communications had been received from Grand Masters, distinguished brethren and Grand Lodges extending most cordial fraternal greetings and best wishes and expressing regret that they were unable to be present or represented.

## RECEPTION OF GRAND REPRESENTATIVES

As the Grand Secretary called the roll of Grand Representatives of other Grand Lodges those who were present stood up and were welcomed by the Grand Master. Grand Honours were then given under the direction of the Grand Director of Ceremonies.

## AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge, A.F. & A.M. of Canada, in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

I beg to report having completed the continuous monthly audit of the accounts of the Grand Treasurer and of the Grand Secretary for the year ended 31st, May, 1959, and I have verified the statements submitted by the Grand Treasurer showing the Receipts and Disbursements of the General and the Combined Memorial and Semi-Centennial Funds for the year ended 31st May, 1959.

The Investment Securities of the General, Memorial and Semi-Centennial Funds, as set out in the respective Schedules accompanying the Grand Treasurer's Report, were produced by the Canada Permanent Trust Company for my inspection. I found them in order.

I wish to extend my appreciation to the Grand Treasurer's Clerk and to the staff at the Office of the Grand Secretary for their co-operation during the audit procedure.

All of which is fraternally submitted.

H. FRANK VIGEON, C.A.,

Auditor.

## GRAND TREASURER'S REPORT

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge, A.F. & A.M. of Canada, in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

It is my pleasure and my privilege to submit my Annual Report on the finances of Grand Lodge as shown in our books for the twelve-month period which ended on May 31st, 1959. The picture is a bright one. The total amount of the financial resources of Grand Lodge has been increased, under careful and expert management, by \$27,104.20. This is, I suggest, a satisfactory increase—not as large as a year ago, but still good. For this situation our gratitude is due to the Grand Secretary, who is a careful general manager, to the Chairman of the Grand Lodge Committee on Audit and Finance, whose guidance is always cheerfully given, to our experienced Auditor, whose watchful eye misses nothing at all, and to the Grand Treasurer's Clerk who keeps the books always in perfect order.

It would be a monotonous experience for you and for me if I were to read to you every detail of Receipts and Disbursements and no one could remember them if they were read aloud; but I must depend on you to examine carefully, when you have time and opportunity, the financial statements which you will find in the preliminary Proceedings and, later, in the complete Proceedings. You will find, for example, that Grand Lodge now has a backlog, in investments and in cash, of \$1,334,983.43; and you will observe that grants for benevolence, made from the General Fund, amounted to \$59,699.75 and that from the Combined Memorial and Semi-Centennial Funds, the sum granted was \$19,370.00. This total (\$79,069.75) for the relief of our Masonic dependents is slightly lower than last year's \$84,977.00, but you may be assured that no deserving man, woman, or child was neglected in the slightest degree by our kindly and wise Supervisor of Benevolence for whose excellent service we are all grateful. It must not

be forgotten that our constituent Lodges contribute, in general, almost as much for benevolence as does Grand Lodge. You will notice, among investments, the purchase of \$85,000 of debentures of Masonic Holdings Corporation which I may call a subsidiary of Grand Lodge, organized for the purpose of financing the construction and equipment of new Grand Lodge offices in Hamilton. It is expected that these debentures will pay five per cent interest. Of course we propose to invest in more of these same debentures.

You will all approve the donations made, by authority of the Grand Master, as follows:

Ontario Society for Crippled Children .....	\$ 1,000.00
Ontario Society for Retarded Children .....	500.00
Boy Scouts' Association, Ontario .....	500.00
Girl Guides' Association, Ontario .....	500.00
Canadian Cancer Society .....	500.00
Salvation Army .....	500.00

To the Masonic Relief Association of the United States and Canada the sum of \$463.50 was contributed.

Now may I set out, in full detail, the financial statements of the three Funds.

**GENERAL FUND**  
**RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS**  
**For the Year Ended 31st May, 1959**

RECEIPTS:	
Cash on hand and in Bank, 1st June, 1958 .....	\$ 17,494.91
Cheques cancelled issued previous years .....	350.00
Refunds:	17,844.91
Canadian Conference	
Trust Fund .....	\$ 1,500.00
Benevolent Grants .....	1,427.25
G.L. Meeting 1958,	
Expenses .....	77.75
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	\$ 3,005.00
Dues, Fees, etc. .....	162,241.75
Interest on Investments .....	31,081.97
Donations .....	89.00
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	196,417.72
Investments matured or sold,	
Par Value \$48,000 .....	48,390.00 244,807.72
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	262,652.63

## DISBURSEMENTS:

## Salaries:

Grand Secretary .....	\$ 10,012.60
Clerical, G.S. Office .....	12,590.40
Supervisor of Benevolence .....	6,612.60
Grand Treasurer's Clerk .....	800.00
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	\$ 30,015.60

## Office:

Rent .....	\$ 1,647.49
Light and Caretaking .....	566.64
Printing, Stationery and Supplies .....	2,207.75
Postage .....	1,660.92
Bank Collecting Charges .....	1.60
Express, Telephone and Telegraph .....	595.98
Furniture and Equipment .....	371.07
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	7,051.45

Canada Permanent Trust Co., Fees and Disbursements .....	544.74
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## Premiums, Fidelity Bonds and

Insurance .....	15,909.70
Auditor .....	1,200.00
Special Printing for re-sale to Lodges .....	3,358.58
Engrossing Warrants .....	50.00
G.M. Allowance \$1,500, Stenographer \$300 .....	1,800.00
D.G.M. Allowance \$670, Postage \$30 .....	700.00
G. T. Clerk, Postage .....	50.00
G.S. Travelling Expenses .....	239.75
Supervisor of Benevolence, Expenses ....	717.30

## Representatives to other Grand Lodges,

Expenses .....	3,778.01
Expenses Grand East, Conferences, etc. ....	541.15
Special Expenses, Committees, etc. ....	86.75
Reviewer of Fraternal Correspondence and writing same .....	600.00
Dedication Expenses .....	562.30
Conference Fee, Washington, etc. ....	1,167.40
Masonic Relief, U.S.A. and Canada ....	463.50

## Librarian Honorarium \$750, Expenses

\$309.81 .....	1,059.81
Masonic Education .....	37.40
Masonic Research .....	200.00
Floral Tributes .....	85.75
Veterans' Medals (50-year Jewels) ....	2,113.24
Meritorious Service Medals .....	39.55
Retiring Allowance, W. J. Attig .....	2,440.00
Allowance to Mrs. W. M. Logan .....	300.00
G.M. Portrait and 2 Frames .....	1,046.00
Regalia Bags .....	330.00

G.L. Bulletin, Costs .....	5,609.39
Canadian Conference, Trust Fund	
\$5.500, Expenses \$175.52 .....	5,675.52
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	87,772.89 262,652.63

## Donations:

Ontario Society for Crippled Children .....	1,000.00
Ontario Society for Retarded Children .....	500.00
Boy Scouts' Association, Ontario .....	500.00
Girl Guides' Association Ontario .....	500.00
Canadian Cancer Society .....	500.00
Salvation Army .....	500.00
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	3,500.00

G.L. Meeting 1958, Expenses 12,163.25

G.L. Meeting 1958,

Proceedings .....

G.L. Meeting 1959, Expenses 1,135.24

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20,139.91

111,412.80

Benevolent Grants .....

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59,699.75

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171,112.55

## Funds Invested: Masonic Holdings Corp.

Par Value \$85,000, Cost ....\$ 85,000.00

Less advanced 1958 .....

22.09

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84,977.91 256,090.46

## Cash on hand and in Bank, 31st May, 1959—

On hand .....

\$ 400.00

On deposit in Bank .....

6,162.17

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6,562.17

**GENERAL FUND**  
**INVESTMENT ACCOUNT — AT PAR VALUES**

Schedule, 1st June 1958 .....\$761,500.00  
Matured or sold during year—

Toronto Harbour Commission, 2½ %

1958 .....

\$ 1,000.00

Canada Permanent Mortgage Co.,

5%, 1958 .....

5,000.00

Province of Ontario, 4%, 1961 .....

20,000.00

Hydro Electric Power Commission

5%, 1977 .....

22,000.00

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48,000.00

\$713,500.00

**Purchased—**

Masonic Holdings Series A Debentures, 5%, due 1st June, 1968 .....	85,000.00
Schedule, 31st May, 1959 .....	\$798,500.00

**COMBINED MEMORIAL AND SEMI-CENTENNIAL FUNDS****RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS****For the Year Ended 31st May, 1959****RECEIPTS:**

Balance in Bank, 1st June 1958 .....	\$ 7,008.44
Add: Cheques cancelled issued previous years ....	670.00
	7,678.44

**Donations:**

Dr. Molson Cain .....	\$ 15.00
Masonic Secretary's Association .....	36.21
Ottawa reception to G.M. .....	58.62
	109.83
Interest from Investments .....	20,032.93
	20,142.76
Investments Matured or sold: Par Value, \$1,090.29	
Toronto Harbour Commission, 2½%, 1958 .....	\$ 1,000.00
District North Vancouver, Instalment .....	90.29
	1,090.29
	28,911.49

**DISBURSEMENTS:**

Canada Permanent Trust Co., Fees and Disbursements .....	\$ 405.82
Benevolent Grants .....	19,370.00
	19,775.82
	9,135.67

**Balance in Bank 31st May 1959:**

Memorial Fund .....	\$ 9,035.67
Semi-Centennial Fund .....	100.00
	\$ 9,135.67

**COMBINED MEMORIAL AND SEMI-CENTENNIAL FUNDS****INVESTMENT ACCOUNT — AT PAR VALUES**

Schedule, 1st June 1958 .....	\$521,875.88
Matured during year:	
Toronto Harbour Commission, 2½%, 1958 .....	1,000.00
North Vancouver, Instalment .....	90.29
	1,090.29
Schedule, 31st May 1959 .....	\$520,785.59

## SUMMARY OF RESOURCES

As at 31st May 1959 Compared with Previous Year

## Investments at Par Value:

	1959	1958
General Fund .....	\$ 798,500.00	\$ 761,500.00
Memorial Fund .....	505,051.24	506,051.24
Semi-Centennial Fund .....	15,734.35	15,824.64
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	\$ 1,319,285.59	\$ 1,283,375.88

## Cash on hand and in Bank:

General Fund Bank Balance ....	\$ 6,162.17	\$ 17,094.91
Memorial Fund Bank Balance ....	9,035.67	6,908.44
Semi-Centennial Fund Bank		
Balance .....	100.00	100.00
General Fund Cash on hand ....	400.00	400.00
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	\$ 15,697.84	\$ 24,503.35
Total all Resources .....	<hr/>	<hr/>
	\$ 1,334,983.43	\$ 1,307,879.23

You will be interested, I know, in the Schedules of Investments in the General Fund and in the Combined Memorial and Semi-Centennial Funds and may I remind you that the values set out in each case are the par values of the securities. The Canada Permanent Trust Company has furnished and has certified the lists from which the Schedules have been prepared and the Auditor has personally verified these lists.

So closes, brethren, this chapter in the financial history of our Grand Lodge which, under the blessing of the Great Architect of the Universe, continues to flourish and to carry on its incalculable service to its members and to humanity in general.

All of which is respectfully and fraternally submitted.

W. J. DUNLOP,

Grand Treasurer.

GRAND LODGE A.F. & A.M. OF CANADA  
IN THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

## GENERAL FUND

## Schedule of Investments, 31st May, 1959

	%	Due	Par Value
Government of Canada .....	3 3/4	1978	\$ 89,000.00
Province of Ontario .....	3	1965	16,000.00
Province of Ontario .....	2 3/4	1969	15,000.00
Province of Ontario .....	4	1972	5,000.00
Province of Ontario .....	4	1968	30,500.00
Province of Ontario .....	4 1/4	1974	44,000.00
Province of Ontario .....	4 1/2	1976	45,000.00
The Hydro-Electric Pow. Com. Ont.	3	1965	20,000.00
The Hydro-Electric Pow. Com. Ont.	4	1967	10,000.00
The Hydro-Electric Pow. Com. Ont.	4	1968	41,000.00
The Hydro-Electric Pow. Com. Ont.	4 1/4	1967	5,000.00
The Hydro-Electric Pow. Com. Ont.	4 1/4	1967	8,000.00
The Hydro-Electric Pow. Com. Ont.	3 1/2	1979	30,000.00
The Hydro-Electric Pow. Com. Ont.	4	1976	20,000.00
The Hydro-Electric Pow. Com. Ont.	4 1/2	1974	60,000.00
The Hydro-Electric Pow. Com. Ont.	5	1977	20,000.00
Metropolitan Toronto .....	3 1/2	1970	88,000.00
Metropolitan Toronto .....	3 1/2	1971	12,000.00
Metropolitan Toronto .....	3 1/4	1973	2,000.00
Metropolitan Toronto .....	3 1/4	1974	3,000.00
Metropolitan Toronto .....	3 3/4	1975	10,000.00
Metropolitan Toronto .....	4 1/2	1976	18,000.00
Metropolitan Toronto .....	5	1977	1,000.00
The Governors of the Univ. Toronto	3	1970	25,000.00
The Toronto Harbour Commiss.	2 1/2	1959/62	4,000.00
City of Hamilton .....	3 3/4	1971	12,000.00
City of Hamilton .....	3 3/4	1972	13,000.00
City of Hamilton .....	3 3/4	1973	13,000.00
City of Hamilton .....	3 3/4	1974	12,000.00
City of Windsor, Debenture .....	3 1/2	1973	11,000.00
Township of Sandwich East .....	2	1985	4,000.00
Canada Permanent Mortgage Corp., Debenture .....	3 1/2	1960	10,000.00
Canada Permanent Mortgage Corp., Debenture .....	3 1/2	1960	10,000.00
The Victoria and Grey Trust Co., Guaranteed Investment Receipt	3 3/4	1959	12,000.00
Masonic Holdings, Series A Debentures .....	5	1968	85,000.00
Total Par Value .....			\$798,500.00

**GRAND LODGE A.F. & A.M. OF CANADA  
IN THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO**

**COMBINED MEMORIAL AND SEMI-CENTENNIAL  
FUNDS**

Schedule of Investments 31st, May, 1959

**PART ONE — MEMORIAL FUND**

	%	Due	Par Value
Government of Canada .....	3 3/4	1978	\$ 26,000.00
Province of Ontario .....	3	1965	18,000.00
Province of Ontario .....	2 3/4	1969	3,000.00
Province of Ontario .....	3	1965	25,000.00
Province of Ontario .....	4	1961	15,000.00
Province of Ontario .....	4	1972	22,000.00
Province of Ontario .....	4	1968	21,500.00
Province of Ontario .....	4 1/4	1974	20,000.00
Province of Ontario .....	4 1/2	1976	5,000.00
The Hydro-Electric Pow. Com. Ont. 2 3/4	1971		5,000.00
The Hydro-Electric Pow. Com. Ont. 3	1965		1,000.00
The Hydro-Electric Pow. Com. Ont. 3	1969		10,000.00
The Hydro-Electric Pow. Com. Ont. 4	1967		21,000.00
The Hydro-Electric Pow. Com. Ont. 4	1968		28,000.00
The Hydro-Electric Pow. Com. Ont. 4 1/4	1967		59,000.00
The Hydro-Electric Pow. Com. Ont. 3 1/2	1979		30,000.00
The Hydro-Electric Pow. Com. Ont. 4 1/4	1967		23,500.00
The Hydro-Electric Pow. Com. Ont. 5	1977		49,000.00
Metropolitan Toronto .....	3 1/2	1971	20,000.00
Metropolitan Toronto .....	5	1977	7,000.00
The Toronto Harbour Commiss....	2 1/2	1959/62	4,000.00
City of Hamilton .....	3 3/4	1970	6,000.00
City of Hamilton .....	3 3/4	1974	3,000.00
City of Windsor, Debenture .....	3 1/2	1963	20,051.24
City of Windsor, Debenture .....	3 1/2	1965	5,000.00
City of Saskatoon .....	5	1961	5,000.00
Canada Permanent Mortgage Corp., Debenture .....	3 1/2	1960	4,000.00
Canada Permanent Mortgage Corp., Debenture .....	3 1/2	1960	25,000.00
The Victoria and Grey Trust Co., Guaranteed Investment Certificate 3 3/4	1959		24,000.00
Total Par Value .....			<u>\$505,051.24</u>

**GRAND LODGE A.F. & A.M. OF CANADA  
IN THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO**

**COMBINED MEMORIAL AND SEMI-CENTENNNIAL  
FUNDS**

**Schedule of Investments, 31st May 1959**

**PART TWO — SEMI-CENTENNIAL FUND**

	<b>%</b>	<b>Due</b>	<b>Par Value</b>
District of North Vancouver .....	2 1/4	1970	\$ 1,255.68
City of Hamilton .....	5	1963	3,000.00
City of Windsor, Debenture .....	3 1/2	1963	1,000.00
City of Windsor, Debenture .....	3 1/2	1973	6,478.67
City of Windsor, Debenture .....	3 1/2	1974	4,000.00
 Total Par Value .....			 \$ 15,734.35

Following the reading of his Report the Grand Treasurer advised the meeting that just recently he had received a letter from the Canada Permanent Trust Company, who were the Custodians of all of our securities held in the General, Memorial and Semi-Centennial Funds, informing him that they could no longer be responsible for the protection of these securities, now in bearer form, against loss through break-in or robbery. So that the securities would be as fully protected as possible he had directed the Company to have them fully registered as to principal and interest, as far as it was possible, in the name of Grand Lodge. He hoped that his action was approved by the members. There was loud and general applause.

Then on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by M.W. Bro. Dunlop, the Report and the Auditor's Report were received and referred to the Committee on Audit and Finance.

## GRAND SECRETARY'S REPORT

The Grand Secretary presented his report as follows:

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge, A.F. & A.M. of Canada, in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

I am very pleased to be permitted to present my twenty-third annual report for the year ended May 31st, 1959, containing the usual Summary of Receipts from various sources placed in the General Fund; Details of Receipts in the General Fund and Ledger Balances as at May 31st, 1959; a Summary of Receipts for the year; Details of the Returns of Lodges as at May 31st, 1959; a summary of the Receipts and Payments to the Grand Treasurer on account of the Memorial and Semi-Centennial Funds; and a Statement of the Receipts and Disbursements on the Memorial and Semi-Centennial Funds Revenue Account.

I have recorded, as an appendix to the Proceedings, the details of the Returns of the 608 warranted Lodges as of December 31st, 1958.

For seventeen years, I have been able to report a gain in membership, this year showing a net increase of 840, the smallest since 1943. Our total membership as of December 31st, 1958, has reached an all-time high of 135,464 and we have, as of today, 613 Lodges, of which five are under dispensation. Numerically, we now rank as the eleventh largest Grand Lodge in the world.

Death took 2633 of our members during the year, 203 more than last year. Resignations totalled 1024, just 61 more than a year ago. Suspensions were up 18 to 864. But against such losses we record 4,114 initiations, down 246; 1,011 affiliations, down 59; and 240 restorations, up 33.

This year, as last year, we instituted five Lodges and constituted and consecrated five, all of which report the admission of many candidates of excellent quality. Still more new Lodges are required as the membership of so many of our Lodges is too large and unwieldy.

We hope that by this time next year, we will be in our new offices about which you will hear more from M.W. Bro. Hearn.

#### Recapitulation — December 31st, 1958

Membership, December 31st, 1957	134,624
Initiated .....	4,114
Passed .....	4,038
Raised .....	4,081
Affiliated .....	1,011
Reinstated .....	240
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	139,989
Deaths .....	2,633
Resignations .....	1,024
Suspensions .....	864
Adjustments .....	4
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Membership, December 31st, 1958 .....	135,464
Number of active warranted Lodges .....	608
Lodges under dispensation, June 30th, 1959	5
Total number of Lodges, June 30th, 1959 ..	613

As of Dec. 31st	Initi- ations	Affili- ations	Suspen- sions	Member- ship	Gain
1944	4568	713	523	96171	3122
1945	4862	755	393	99509	3238
1946	6244	892	393	104400	4891
1947	6139	1115	385	109008	4608
1948	5620	1021	529	112781	3773
1949	5776	1060	451	116786	4005
1950	5464	1083	597	120136	3350
1951	5199	1005	631	123058	2922

1952	5130	1055	662	125596	2538
1953	5205	1076	770	128352	2756
1954	4629	879	794	130177	1825
1955	4551	1096	780	131992	1815
1956	4542	926	809	133398	1406
1957	4360	1070	846	134624	1226
1958	4114	1011	864	135464	840

### FIFTY-YEAR MEDALS

This year 336 members have qualified for and have received a Veteran Jubilee Medal (50 years a Mason), and 12 Past Masters have received a Long Service Medal (50 years a Past Master).

### SIXTY-YEAR PINS

During the year Sixty-Year Pins have been issued to 23 of our members in recognition of sixty years' service as a Mason. Since the adoption of this pin 209 holders of our Veteran Jubilee Medal and 13 holders of our Long Service Medal, of whom 4 have qualified this year, have received Sixty-Year Pins to their respective medals.

### FIFTY-YEAR BAR

A year ago, I was very pleased to report that six of our veteran members had been awarded a bar to their Long Service Medal to mark fifty years of service as a Past District Deputy Grand Master. No additional awards have been made but two of these distinguished Craftsmen have passed to the Grand Lodge Above, leaving—

R.W. Bro. A. J. Whitby, Granite Lodge, No, 352,  
Parry Sound.

R.W. Bro. J. E. Francis, Patterson Lodge, No, 265, Thornhill.

R.W. Bro. R. A. Willmott, Beaver Lodge, No, 83, Strathroy.

R.W. Bro. A. M. Fulton, Faithful Brethren Lodge, No. 77, Lindsay.

To them again, we extend our warmest congratulations and our very best wishes.

### WILLIAM MERCER WILSON MEDAL

Since our last Annual Communication six members have been awarded the William Mercer Wilson Medal for Meritorious Service:

Bro. R.W. Davies, Stratford Lodge, No. 332, Stratford.

Bro. L. E. Ede, Minden Lodge, No. 253, Kingston.

Bro. H. Gooding, Chaudiere Lodge, No. 264, Ottawa.

Bro. J. Liddell, Windsor Lodge, No. 403, Windsor.

Bro. R. Tait, Connaught Lodge, No. 501, Toronto.

In all 54 members have been awarded this distinguished Medal since it was adopted in 1945.

Details of Receipts of Grand Lodge on General  
 Account and Ledger Balances, Year  
 Ended May 31st, 1959

No.	Name of Lodge	Location	Amount	Dr.	Balance Cr.
2	Niagara	Niagara	313.65	10.40	
3	Ancient St. John's	Kingston	374.80	8.50	
5	Sussex	Brockville	501.20	2.00	
6	Barton	Hamilton	359.54	15.72	
7	Union	Grimsby	291.60	5.95	
9	Union	Napanee	276.20	1.10	
10	Norfolk	Simcoe	558.30		1.10
11	Moira	Belleville	591.75	24.04	
14	True Britons	Perth	279.05		
15	St. George's	St. Catharines	373.05	1.26	
16	St. Andrew's	Toronto	427.88	3.00	
17	St. John's	Cobourg	413.75	10.65	
18	Prince Edward	Picton	410.10	10.11	
20	St. John's	London	559.05	12.20	
21a	St. John's	Vankleek Hill	115.89		
22	King Solomon's	Toronto	417.11	4.50	
23	Richmond	Richmond Hill	318.44		.10
24	St. Francis	Smith's Falls	465.70		
25	Ionic	Toronto	251.15	6.78	
26	Ontario	Port Hope	282.37	11.49	
27	Strict Observance	Hamilton	558.89	3.13	
28	Mount Zion	Kemptville	145.10	4.05	
29	United	Brighton	246.23		
30	Composite	Whitby	257.89	10.20	
31	Jerusalem	Bowmanville	236.65	1.00	
32	Amity	Dunnville	328.70	1.00	
33	Maitland	Goderich	247.28		
34	Thistle	Amherstburg	296.23		2.00
35	St. John's	Cayuga	187.82	4.52	
37	King Hiram	Ingersoll	249.85		
38	Trent	Trenton	312.30	11.70	
39	Mount Zion	Brooklin	175.55	1.00	
40	St. John's	Hamilton	578.97	14.72	
41	St. George's	Kingsville	392.70		2.75
42	St. George's	London	649.15	6.95	
43	King Solomon's	Woodstock	443.10	6.36	
44	St. Thomas	St. Thomas	329.00		.20
45	Brant	Brantford	452.00	6.50	
46	Wellington	Chatham	449.10	1.00	
47	Great Western	Windsor	708.00	12.50	
48	Madoc	Madoc	224.25	10.75	
50	Consecon	Consecon	145.70	1.00	
52	Dalhousie	Ottawa	465.00	17.45	
54	Vaughan	Maple	140.97	1.68	
55	Merrickville	Merrickville	124.85		
56	Victoria	Sarnia	435.42	1.00	

No.	Name of Lodge	Location	Amount	Balance	
				Dr.	Cr.
57	Harmony	Binbrook	129.35	3.10	
58	Doric	Ottawa	519.40	3.80	
61	Acacia	Hamilton	676.47		
62	St. Andrew's	Caledonia	206.85	5.10	
63	St. John's	Carleton Place	229.43	1.00	
64	Kilwinning	London	702.10	22.75	
65	Rehoboam	Toronto	602.37	3.00	
66	Durham	Newcastle	132.55	3.25	
68	St. John's	Ingersoll	252.90	2.60	
69	Stirling	Stirling	217.69	1.00	
72	Alma	Galt	300.40	13.25	
73	St. James	St. Marys	265.40	8.78	
74	St. James	South Augusta	171.05	1.00	
75	St. John's	Toronto	232.05	14.75	
76	Oxford	Woodstock	454.05	.28	
77	Faithful Brethren	Lindsay	352.62	14.40	
78	King Hiram	Tillsonburg	458.00		.55
79	Simcoe	Bradford	191.15	2.51	
81	St. John's	Mount Brydges	120.37	1.00	
82	St. John's	Paris	194.95	5.65	
83	Beaver	Strathroy	195.73		13.65
84	Clinton	Clinton	265.10		
85	Rising Sun	Athens	124.80	6.10	
86	Wilson	Toronto	238.05	5.10	
87	Markham Union	Markham	209.06	8.50	
88	St. George's	Owen Sound	241.05	7.10	
90	Manito	Collingwood	308.85	.60	
91	Colborne	Colborne	184.20	1.00	
92	Cataraqui	Kingston	362.50	11.20	
93	Northern Light	Kincardine	272.58	1.00	
94	St. Mark's	Port Stanley	160.10	8.50	
96	Corinthian	Barrie	400.35	3.55	
97	Sharon	Queensville	176.80	12.80	
98	True Blue	Bolton	147.70	4.25	
99	Tuscan	Newmarket	285.22		12.20
100	Valley	Dundas	442.07	15.75	
101	Corinthian	Peterborough	541.09	15.27	
103	Maple Leaf	St. Catharines	582.20	4.00	
104	St. John's	Norwich	245.65	6.10	
105	St. Mark's	Niagara Falls	344.00		.55
106	Burford	Burford	178.45		.55
107	St. Paul's	Lambeth	264.10	3.00	
108	Blenheim	Princeton	129.42	2.00	
109	Albion	Harrowsmith	252.30		1.55
110	Central	Prescott	180.75	7.10	
113	Wilson	Waterford	246.45		.55
114	Hope	Port Hope	221.25	10.65	
115	Ivy	Beamsville	316.92		1.00
116	Cassia	Thedford	132.80	10.20	
118	Union	Schomberg	154.25	1.10	
119	Maple Leaf	Bath	155.75		

No.	Name of Lodge	Location	Amount	Balance Dr.	Cr.
120	Warren.....	Fingal .....	95.05	1.00	
121	Doric.....	Brantford .....	559.70	1.00	
122	Renfrew.....	Renfrew .....	223.55	8.95	
123	Belleville.....	Belleville .....	465.75	7.85	
125	Cornwall.....	Cornwall .....	562.36	9.65	
126	Golden Rule.....	Campbellford .....	284.70	13.20	
127	Franck.....	Frankford .....	283.10	3.00	
128	Pembroke.....	Pembroke .....	325.72	1.00	
129	Rising Sun.....	Aurora .....	228.20		1.49
131	St. Lawrence.....	Southampton .....	117.05	.45	
133	Lebanon Forest.....	Exeter .....	240.80		
135	St. Clair.....	Milton .....	257.40	6.10	
136	Richardson.....	Stouffville .....	196.30	7.40	
137	Pythagoras.....	Meaford .....	159.53		
139	Lebanon.....	Oshawa .....	421.05	1.00	
140	Malahide.....	Aylmer .....	256.30	5.62	
141	Tudor.....	Mitchell .....	189.15	2.10	
142	Excelsior.....	Morrisburg .....	243.25	21.25	
143	Friendly Brothers'.....	Iroquois .....	109.20	1.00	
144	Tecumseh.....	Stratford .....	432.77	5.10	
145	J. B. Hall.....	Millbrook .....	132.15		
146	Prince of Wales.....	Newburgh .....	68.65	1.00	
147	Mississippi.....	Almonte .....	220.35	1.50	
148	Civil Service.....	Ottawa .....	276.50	13.72	
149	Erie.....	Port Dover .....	261.30		
151	Grand River.....	Kitchener .....	458.27	1.00	
153	Burns.....	Wyoming .....	165.50	9.22	
154	Irving.....	Lucan .....	168.95		
155	Peterborough.....	Peterborough .....	530.95	10.20	
156	York.....	Toronto .....	466.10	3.55	
157	Simpson.....	Newboro .....	124.77		9.35
158	Alexandra.....	Oil Springs .....	106.10	.45	
159	Goodwood.....	Richmond .....	106.55		
161	Percy.....	Warkworth .....	237.20		
162	Forest.....	Wroxeter .....	147.30		
164	Star in the East.....	Wellington .....	165.05	6.10	
165	Burlington.....	Burlington .....	570.30	2.52	
166	Wentworth.....	Stoney Creek .....	532.90	11.20	
168	Merritt.....	Welland .....	314.00	7.00	
169	Macnab.....	Port Colborne .....	336.20	.45	
170	Britannia.....	Seaforth .....	197.20		.55
171	Prince of Wales.....	Iona Station .....	95.20		
172	Ayr.....	Ayr .....	90.25		
174	Walsingham.....	Port Rowan .....	161.25	1.00	
177	The Builders.....	Ottawa .....	370.03		
178	Plattsburg.....	Plattsburg .....	106.08		
180	Speed.....	Guelph .....	589.75	.55	
181	Oriental.....	Port Burwell .....	114.70		
184	Old Light.....	Lucknow .....	234.40	1.00	
185	Enniskillen.....	York .....	110.10		

No.	Name of Lodge	Location	Amount	Balance	
				Dr.	Cr.
186	Plantagenet	Riceville	74.65		
190	Belmont	Belmont	165.10		1.20
192	Orillia	Orillia	550.20	11.90	
193	Scotland	Scotland	170.95	5.65	
194	Petrolia	Petrolia	183.01	1.10	
195	Tuscan	London	252.16	1.00	
196	Madawaska	Arnprior	276.18	2.00	
197	Saugeen	Walkerton	167.15		.55
200	St. Alban's	Mount Forest	414.35	1.00	
201	Leeds	Gananoque	282.60	1.15	
203	Irvine	Elora	114.55	1.00	
205	New Dominion	New Hamburg	96.35		
207	Lancaster	Lancaster	125.25	13.17	
209	Evergreen	Lanark	114.80		
209a	St. John's	London	796.15	1.90	
215	Lake	Ameliasburg	150.35		
216	Harris	Orangeville	278.24	10.20	
217	Frederick	Delhi	217.07		1.20
218	Stevenson	Toronto	375.85	6.15	
219	Credit	Georgetown	289.02	8.60	
220	Zeredatha	Uxbridge	193.15	2.00	
221	Mountain	Thorold	259.60	10.50	
222	Marmora	Marmora	126.00		
223	Norwood	Norwood	121.09		
224	Huron	Hensall	149.55		
225	Bernard	Listowel	365.55		
228	Prince Arthur	Odessa	127.50	2.55	
229	Ionic	Brampton	456.10		14.25
230	Kerr	Barrie	390.40	10.75	
231	Fidelity	Ottawa	834.25	.55	
232	Cameron	Dutton	166.80		
233	Doric	Parkhill	221.60	3.36	
234	Beaver	Thornbury	135.20		
235	Aldworth	Paisley	134.10	3.00	
236	Manitoba	Cookstown	161.12		
237	Vienna	Vienna	128.30		
238	Havelock	Watford	109.70	6.52	
239	Tweed	Tweed	172.55	1.85	
242	Macoy	Mallorytown	101.20	1.10	
243	St. George	St. George	201.40	6.10	
245	Tecumseh	Thamesville	172.80	6.10	
247	Ashlar	Toronto	206.86	12.88	
249	Caledonian	Midland	359.00		6.10
250	Thistle	Embro	161.78		
253	Minden	Kingston	488.75		
254	Clifton	Niagara Falls	450.51	13.56	
255	Sydenham	Dresden	200.60	13.72	
256	Farran-Ault	Ingleside	152.65		1.65
257	Galt	Galt	341.55	12.30	
258	Guelph	Guelph	367.30	10.90	
259	Springfield	Springfield	270.85		1.10

No.	Name of Lodge	Location	Amount	Balance	Dr.	Cr.
260	Washington	Petrolia	201.35	6.20		
261	Oak Branch	Innerkip	137.80			
262	Harriston	Harriston	179.20	5.65		
263	Forest	Forest	134.10	3.85		
264	Chaudiere	Ottawa	321.05	14.72		
265	Patterson	Thornhill	358.61	2.00		
266	Northern Light	Stayner	218.10	3.70		
267	Parthenon	Chatham	385.30	1.00		
268	Verulam	Bobcageon	140.71	1.00		
269	Brougham Union	Claremont	104.15	.55		
270	Cedar	Oshawa	468.42	12.04		
271	Wellington	Erin	200.45			
272	Seymour	Ancaster	811.25			3.75
274	Kent	Blenheim	284.50	3.00		
276	Teeswater	Teeswater	110.50			1.00
277	Seymour	Port Dalhousie	315.97	13.41		
279	New Hope	Hespeler	141.60			
282	Lorne	Glencoe	175.59	2.00		
283	Eureka	Belleville	460.70	8.55		
284	St. John's	Brussels	111.55			
285	Seven Star	Alliston	335.33	30.07		
286	Wingham	Wingham	242.70	9.65		
287	Shuniah	Port Arthur	530.70	19.20		
289	Doric	Lobo	148.33	1.00		
290	Leamington	Leamington	293.95	11.62		
291	Dufferin	West Flamboro	178.25	1.00		
292	Robertson	King	181.00	3.55		
294	Moore	Courtright	166.86			
295	Conestogo	Drayton	104.20			
296	Temple	St. Catharines	437.80			
297	Preston	Preston	266.00	5.10		
299	Victoria	Centreville	83.00	5.10		
300	Mount Olivet	Thorndale	236.80			3.85
302	St. David's	St. Thomas	474.35	11.20		
303	Blyth	Blyth	121.04			
304	Minerva	Stroud	207.30			
305	Humber	Weston	408.50	7.40		
306	Durham	Durham	195.75			
307	Arkona	Arkona	104.55			7.00
309	Morning Star	Carlow	184.13			
311	Blackwood	Woodbridge	199.25	5.25		
312	Pnyx	Wallaceburg	352.70	1.00		
313	Clementi	Lakefield	209.95			
314	Blair	Palmerston	207.35			
315	Clifford	Clifford	88.55			
316	Doric	Toronto	323.48	7.36		
318	Wilmot	Baden	50.20			
319	Hiram	Hagersville	201.96	10.20		
320	Chesterville	Chesterville	150.88			
321	Walker	Acton	289.55			
322	North Star	Owen Sound	268.45	1.00		

No.	Name of Lodge	Location	Amount	Balance	
				Dr.	Cr.
323	Alvinston	Alvinston	118.00		4.05
324	Temple	Hamilton	413.17	6.10	
325	Orono	Orono	188.66	10.46	
326	Zetland	Toronto	316.89		
327	Hammond	Wardsville	113.25	5.90	
328	Ionic	Napier	66.55	1.00	
329	King Solomon	Jarvis	130.40	10.20	
330	Corinthian	London	378.27	2.00	
331	Fordwich	Fordwich	77.45	4.23	
332	Stratford	Stratford	449.95	1.00	
333	Prince Arthur	Flesherton	173.20		
334	Prince Arthur	Arthur	139.05		1.10
336	Highgate	Highgate	145.65		
337	Myrtle	Port Robinson	123.50	7.84	
338	Dufferin	Wellandport	107.10	1.00	
339	Orient	Toronto	388.45	12.20	
341	Bruce	Tiverton	68.20		
343	Georgina	Toronto	400.75	7.25	
344	Merrill	Dorchester	192.60	1.00	
345	Nilestown	Nilestown	435.95		
346	Occident	Toronto	610.75	5.95	
347	Mercer	Fergus	246.90	5.50	
348	Georgian	Penetanguishene	113.65		
352	Granite	Parry Sound	402.45		10.60
354	Brock	Cannington	100.50	1.00	
356	River Park	Streetsville	236.65	25.80	
357	Waterdown	Millgrove	342.10	12.20	
358	Delaware Valley	Delaware	129.80	1.00	
359	Vittoria	Vittoria	151.11		
360	Muskoka	Bracebridge	248.15	5.10	
361	Waverley	Guelph	420.15		.55
362	Maple Leaf	Tara	68.30		
364	Dufferin	Melbourne	93.85		
367	St. George	Toronto	470.65		1.20
368	Salem	Brockville	548.10	13.05	
369	Mimico	Lambton Mills	369.00	6.65	
370	Harmony	Delta	139.35		
371	Prince of Wales	Ottawa	508.90	.50	
372	Palmer	Fort Erie	321.27	8.50	
373	Cope-Stone	Welland	418.43	.45	
374	Keene	Keene	108.25	5.10	
375	Lorne	Omemee	168.86		.55
376	Unity	Huntsville	282.65	18.20	
377	Lorne	Shelburne	212.07		
378	King Solomon's	London	511.15	1.00	
379	Middlesex	Bryanston	155.60	2.20	
380	Union	London	633.45		.55
382	Doric	Hamilton	486.50	9.04	
383	Henderson	Winchester	202.80	6.20	
384	Alpha	Toronto	590.63	5.68	
385	Spry	Beeton	131.00		

No.	Name of Lodge	Location	Amount	Balance	
				Dr.	Cr.
386	McColl	West Lorne	159.55	1.00	
387	Lansdowne	Lansdowne	109.00		
388	Henderson	Ilderton	184.77		.55
389	Crystal Fountain	North Augusta	100.75		
390	Florence	Florence	106.85		
391	Howard	Ridgetown	281.70	1.00	
392	Huron	Camlachie	114.50	17.41	
393	Forest	Chesley	128.85		
394	King Solomon	Thamesford	144.80		
395	Parvaim	Comber	105.65	6.78	
396	Cedar	Wiarton	234.45	3.50	
397	Leopold	Brigden	192.10		
398	Victoria	Kirkfield	134.20	7.00	
399	Moffat	Harrietsville	96.45		
400	Oakville	Oakville	372.35		
401	Craig	Deseronto	180.30		
402	Central	Essex	394.05	13.01	
403	Windsor	Windsor	567.91	11.20	
404	Lorne	Tamworth	69.30		
405	Mattawa	Mattawa	131.75	1.05	
406	Spry	Fenelon Falls	185.88		
408	Murray	Beaverton	168.95		.50
409	Golden Rule	Gravenhurst	240.25		
410	Zeta	Toronto	369.40	2.52	
411	Rodney	Rodney	131.40		
412	Keystone	Sault Ste. Marie	576.93	1.00	
413	Naphtali	Tilbury	109.25	1.00	
414	Pequonga	Kenora	357.30	11.20	
415	Fort William	Fort William	462.60	3.65	
416	Lyn	Lyn	92.60	1.00	
417	Keewatin	Keewatin	109.70	1.70	
418	Maxville	Maxville	112.75		.55
419	Liberty	Sarnia	696.83	2.10	
420	Nipissing	North Bay	303.10	10.20	
421	Scott	Grand Valley	153.50	1.10	
422	Star of the East	Bothwell	217.80	2.00	
423	Strong	Sundridge	122.00	1.30	
424	Doric	Pickering	288.05	10.20	
425	St. Clair	Sombra	119.50	1.00	
426	Stanley	Toronto	400.07	13.72	
427	Nickel	Suburv	558.25	10.50	
428	Fidelity	Port Perry	221.55	5.10	
429	Port Elgin	Port Elgin	138.07		.55
430	Acacia	Toronto	393.35	4.00	
431	Moravian	Cargill	52.25		
432	Hanover	Hanover	129.02	5.10	
433	Bonnechere	Eganville	126.75	5.10	
434	Algonquin	Emsdale	158.10		
435	Havelock	Havelock	191.35	.55	
436	Burns	Hepworth	131.25	1.00	
437	Tuscan	Sarnia	501.81	14.62	

No.	Name of Lodge	Location	Amount	Balance	
				Dr.	Cr.
438	Harmony	Toronto	170.70	2.00	
439	Alexandria	Alexandria	85.70		
440	Arcadia	Minden	146.30	1.10	
441	Westport	Westport	101.25	1.00	
442	Dyment	Thessalon	184.15	1.00	
443	Powassan	Powassan	157.15	8.80	
444	Nitetis	Creemore	155.05	1.00	
445	Lake of the Woods	Kenora	262.61		
446	Granite	Fort Frances	271.95	8.50	
447	Sturgeon Falls	Sturgeon Falls	113.10	.55	
448	Xenophon	Wheatley	195.80	1.00	
449	Dundalk	Dundalk	167.45		
450	Hawkesbury	Hawkesbury	95.70		
451	Somerville	Kinmount	81.40	2.18	
452	Avonmore	Avonmore	153.30	2.95	
453	Royal	Fort William	388.25	15.95	
454	Corona	Burk's Falls	122.90	1.00	
455	Doric	Little Current	130.48		
456	Elma	Monkton	99.55	.20	
457	Century	Merlin	170.90	1.00	
458	Wales	Long Sault	210.85		
459	Cobden	Cobden	124.85	6.10	
460	Rideau	Seeley's Bay	131.65	1.00	
461	Ionic	Rainy River	183.45	2.00	
462	Temiskaming	New Liskeard	176.29	1.50	
463	North Entrance	Haliburton	163.80		
464	King Edward	Sunderland	151.20	2.00	
465	Carleton	Carp	167.49		1.10
466	Coronation	Elmvale	154.45		.10
467	Tottenham	Tottenham	84.25		
468	Peel	Caledon East	245.55	4.50	
469	Algoma	Sault Ste. Marie	493.79	10.20	
470	Victoria	Victoria Harbour	96.00		
471	King Edward VII	Chippawa	165.31	7.80	
472	Gore Bay	Gore Bay	142.80		
473	The Beaches	Toronto	283.70	1.65	
474	Victoria	Toronto	334.85	13.20	
475	Dundurn	Hamilton	598.85	13.88	
476	Corinthian	North Gower	136.76		
477	Harding	Woodville	118.85	4.40	
478	Milverton	Milverton	140.05	5.10	
479	Russell	Russell	155.52	1.50	
480	Williamsburg	Williamsburg	124.70		
481	Corinthian	Toronto	342.05	7.23	
482	Bancroft	Bancroft	313.95		1.10
483	Granton	Granton	115.70		.55
484	Golden Star	Dryden	284.95		
485	Haileybury	Haileybury	108.80		
486	Silver	Cobalt	184.80		
487	Penewobikong	Blind River	233.05	2.70	
488	King Edward	Harrow	228.17		

No.	Name of Lodge	Location	Amount	Balance Dr.	Balance Cr.
489	Osiris.....	Smiths Falls .....	234.70	.55	
490	Hiram.....	Markdale .....	107.30	11.25	
491	Cardinal.....	Cardinal .....	84.90	18.66	
492	Karnak.....	Coldwater .....	149.07	2.00	
494	Riverdale.....	Toronto .....	294.20	12.20	
495	Electric.....	Hamilton .....	501.65	26.26	
496	University.....	Toronto .....	292.06		11.00
497	St. Andrew's.....	Arden .....	171.01		
498	King George V.....	Coboconk .....	112.45		1.62
499	Port Arthur.....	Port Arthur .....	518.16	14.56	
500	Rose.....	Windsor .....	176.45	12.65	
501	Connaught.....	Mimico .....	428.30	21.70	
502	Coronation.....	Smithville .....	161.30	1.00	
503	Inwood.....	Inwood .....	128.00	11.20	
504	Otter.....	Lombardy .....	60.75		
505	Lynden.....	Lynden .....	189.45	5.25	
506	Porcupine.....	South Porcupine .....	154.10	17.00	
507	Elk Lake.....	Elk Lake .....	97.90		
508	Ozias.....	Brantford .....	384.29		
509	Twin City.....	Kitchener .....	576.25	3.50	
510	Parkdale.....	Toronto .....	234.35	.42	
511	Connaught.....	Fort William .....	271.94	.55	
512	Malone.....	Sutton .....	233.50		
513	Corinthian.....	Hamilton .....	468.20	11.20	
514	St. Alban's.....	Toronto .....	334.75		
515	Reba.....	Brantford .....	429.89	1.10	
516	Enterprise.....	Beachburg .....	113.55	1.00	
517	Hazeldean.....	Hazeldean .....	97.65	5.00	
518	Sioux Lookout.....	Sioux Lookout .....	196.05	1.00	
519	Onondaga.....	Onondaga .....	128.45	5.10	
520	Coronati.....	Toronto .....	392.36	16.30	
521	Ontario.....	Windsor .....	482.95	5.75	
522	Mount Sinai.....	Toronto .....	723.75	33.40	
523	Royal Arthur.....	Peterborough .....	384.90		
524	Mississauga.....	Port Credit .....	365.37	14.72	
525	Temple.....	Toronto .....	281.80		
526	Ionic.....	Ottawa .....	458.97	17.50	
527	Espanola.....	Espanola .....	205.70	6.10	
528	Golden Beaver.....	Timmins .....	244.75	15.45	
529	Myra.....	Komoka .....	82.03		
530	Cochrane.....	Cochrane .....	149.28		1.65
531	High Park.....	Toronto .....	321.90		
532	Canada.....	Toronto .....	418.79	3.00	
533	Shamrock.....	Toronto .....	259.15	3.40	
534	Englehart.....	Englehart .....	162.35	1.10	
535	Phoenix.....	Fonthill .....	228.35	12.60	
536	Algonquin.....	Copper Cliff .....	311.56	7.91	
537	Ulster.....	Toronto .....	798.45	4.86	
538	Earl Kitchener.....	Port McNicoll..	78.75		
539	Waterloo.....	Waterloo .....	353.50	10.20	

No.	Name of Lodge	Location	Amount	Balance Dr.	Balance Cr.
540	Abitibi	Iroquois Falls	195.00		
541	Tuscan	Toronto	338.85	3.00	
542	Metropolitan	Toronto	289.30	7.36	
543	Imperial	Toronto	460.03	17.50	
544	Lincoln	Abingdon	80.00	5.10	
545	John Ross Rob'son	Toronto	489.95	22.24	
546	Talbot	St. Thomas	491.05	22.10	
547	Victory	Toronto	215.60	.84	
548	General Mercer	Toronto	407.05	2.50	
549	Ionic	Hamilton	546.45	2.80	
550	Buchanan	Hamilton	481.23	11.20	
551	Tuscan	Hamilton	696.20	13.88	
552	Queen City	Toronto	692.35	52.50	
553	Oakwood	Toronto	431.18	3.50	
554	Border Cities	Windsor	275.95	9.90	
555	Wardrobe	Hamilton	452.78	9.87	
556	Nation	Spencerville	147.15	4.73	
557	Finch	Finch	158.30		
558	Sidney Alb't Luke	Ottawa	253.68		
559	Palestine	Toronto	472.99	17.72	
560	St. Andrew's	Ottawa	708.90	13.14	
561	Acacia	Ottawa	377.08		.65
562	Hamilton	Hamilton	355.08	2.56	
563	Victory	Chatham	410.07	1.00	
564	Ashlar	Ottawa	186.71	2.00	
565	Kilwinning	Toronto	391.19	19.00	
566	King Hiram	Toronto	359.00	1.00	
567	St. Aidan's	Toronto	266.25	9.04	
568	Hullett	Londesboro	73.10		
569	Doric	Lakeside	121.40	10.20	
570	Dufferin	Toronto	337.46	13.93	
571	Antiquity	Toronto	268.27	10.65	
572	Mizpah	Toronto	343.41	1.00	
573	Adoniram	Niagara Falls	277.30	7.35	
574	Craig	Ailsa Craig	124.59	1.00	
575	Fidelity	Toronto	309.60	10.20	
576	Mimosa	Toronto	383.55	11.50	
577	St. Clair	Toronto	407.03	2.00	
578	Queen's	Kingston	238.15	1.00	
579	Harmony	Windsor	325.40	7.85	
580	Acacia	London	516.45	2.80	
581	Harcourt	Toronto	117.98		
582	Sunnyside	Toronto	393.70	8.50	
583	Transportation	Toronto	443.95		
584	Kaministiquia	Fort William	255.00		
585	Royal Edward	Kingston	292.65	3.50	
586	Remembrance	Toronto	382.45	4.50	
587	Patricia	Toronto	351.50	40.50	
588	National	Capreol	292.95		
589	Grey	Toronto	335.27	1.55	
590	Defenders	Ottawa	272.65	1.55	

No.	Name of Lodge	Location	Amount	Balance	
				Dr.	Cr.
591	North Gate.....	Toronto .....	453.51	3.00	
592	Fairbank.....	Toronto .....	347.15	5.55	
593	St. Andrew's.....	Hamilton .....	837.79	23.21	
594	Hillcrest.....	Hamilton .....	407.15		18.40
595	Rideau.....	Ottawa .....	387.85	12.25	
596	Martintown.....	Martintown .....	84.10		
597	Temple.....	London .....	349.60	9.10	
598	Dominion.....	Windsor .....	359.22	14.27	
599	Mount Dennis.....	Weston .....	575.05	.70	
600	Maple Leaf.....	Toronto .....	355.75	1.00	
601	St. Paul.....	Sarnia .....	297.10	4.70	
602	Hugh Murray.....	Hamilton .....	543.90	14.35	
603	Campbell.....	Campbellville ..	144.65	1.00	
604	Palace.....	Windsor .....	485.92	13.72	
605	Melita.....	Toronto .....	250.90	8.75	
606	Unity.....	Toronto .....	318.55	1.00	
607	Golden Fleece.....	Toronto .....	295.30	1.00	
608	Gothic.....	Lindsay .....	201.75		
609	Tavistock.....	Tavistock .....	154.40	4.40	
610	Ashlar.....	Byron .....	207.75	6.10	
611	Huron-Bruce.....	Toronto .....	334.45	5.50	
612	Birch Cliff.....	Birch Cliff .....	434.30	13.20	
613	Fort Erie.....	Fort Erie .....	252.67	1.00	
614	Adanac.....	Merriton .....	267.07		
615	Dominion.....	Ridgeway .....	165.20	1.55	
616	Perfection.....	St. Catharines ..	307.40		.55
617	North Bay.....	North Bay .....	356.50	1.00	
618	Thunder Bay.....	Port Arthur ..	284.50	2.10	
619	Runnymede.....	Toronto .....	308.40	9.20	
620	Bay of Quinte.....	Toronto .....	255.42	10.36	
621	Frontenac.....	Sharbot Lake ..	157.25	5.10	
622	Lorne.....	Chapleau .....	180.25	2.00	
623	Doric.....	Kirkland Lake ..	343.42	8.65	
624	Dereham.....	Mt. Elgin .....	127.75		
625	Hatherly.....	Sault Ste. Marie	159.70		
626	Stamford.....	Stamford Centre	347.95	9.50	
627	Pelee.....	Scudder .....	66.70	.63	
628	Glenrose.....	Elmira .....	112.55		
629	Grenville.....	Toronto .....	383.20	8.75	
630	Prince of Wales.....	Toronto .....	210.00	2.00	
631	Manitou.....	Emo .....	126.45		
632	Long Branch.....	Mimico .....	235.60	11.20	
633	Hastings.....	Hastings .....	103.85		1.00
634	Delta.....	Toronto .....	385.41	11.24	
635	Wellington.....	Toronto .....	354.51	2.00	
636	Hornepayne.....	Hornepayne ..	189.30	1.00	
637	Caledonia.....	Toronto .....	678.60	24.60	
638	Bedford.....	Toronto .....	291.07	1.00	
639	Beach.....	Hamilton Beach	333.90	6.10	
640	Anthony Sayer.....	Mimico .....	168.10		
641	Garden.....	Windsor .....	294.50	13.10	

No.	Name of Lodge	Location	Amount	Balance	
				Dr.	Cr.
642	St. Andrew's	Windsor	267.10	10.20	
643	Cathedral	Toronto	281.66	9.65	
644	Simcoe	Toronto	320.55	6.94	
645	Lake Shore	Mimico	281.00	6.10	
646	Rowland	Mt. Albert	102.25	4.25	
647	Tedmorden	Todmorden	334.92	12.20	
648	Spruce Falls	Kapuskasing	261.25	2.42	
649	Temple	Oshawa	478.71	20.39	
650	Fidelity	Toledo	74.00	3.50	
651	Dentonia	Toronto	466.95	11.20	
652	Memorial	Toronto	357.30	1.55	
653	Scarboro	Agincourt	329.15	12.30	
654	Ancient Landm'ks	Hamilton	239.85	12.70	
655	Kingsway	Lambton Mills	239.18	1.00	
656	Kenogamisis	Geraldton	260.05	1.00	
657	Corinthian	Kirkland Lake	186.88	2.00	
658	Sudbury	Sudbury	286.20	10.60	
659	Equity	Orillia	225.35	23.80	
660	Chukuni	Red Lake	162.40		
661	St. Andrew's	St. Catharines	189.90	3.00	
662	Terrace Bay	Terrace Bay	160.35	1.00	
663	Brant	Burlington	205.65	5.30	
664	Sunnylea	Lambton Mills	202.40	7.10	
665	Temple	Ottawa	167.00	11.97	
666	Temple	Belleville	195.60	8.10	
667	Composite	Hamilton	184.95	2.00	
668	Atikokan	Atikokan	132.20	3.10	
669	Corinthian	Cornwall	155.20	6.85	
670	West Hill	Agincourt	220.81	25.07	
671	Westmount	Hamilton	154.38	10.20	
672	Superior	Red Rock	127.70	16.10	
673	Kempfenfeldt	Barrie	144.35	12.04	
674	South Gate	Port Credit	114.82	9.50	
675	William James	Dunlop	Peterborough	186.39	10.75
676	Kroy	Thornhill	204.40	10.20	
677	Coronation	Weston	202.30	12.20	
678	Mercer Wilson	Woodstock	121.80		
679	Centennial	Stamford Centre	108.74	8.35	
680	Woodland	Wawa	92.77		
681	Claude M. Kent	Oakville	118.10	30.75	
682	Astra	Weston	166.23	1.00	
683	Wexford	Agincourt	191.56	2.75	
684	Centennial	London	207.86	13.70	
685	Joseph A. Hearn	Port Credit	150.55	21.24	
686	Atomic	Deep River	165.37	2.21	
687	Meridian	Dundas	97.85	9.55	
688	Wyndham	Guelph	94.57		
689	Flower City	Brampton	118.95	19.80	
690	Temple	Kitchener	76.50	7.10	
691	Friendship	Copper Cliff	92.31	20.22	

No.	Name of Lodge	Location	Amount	Balance	
				Dr.	Cr.
692	Thomas Hamilton				
	Simpson	Stoney Creek	145.31	.50	
693	Baldoon	Wallaceburg	108.90	10.20	
694	East Gate	Agincourt	98.88	6.49	
695	Parkwood	Oshawa	118.65		
UD	Harry L. Martyn	Toronto	89.17		.16
UD	Grantham	Port Dalhousie	125.19	7.02	
UD	Bethel	Sudbury	71.00		
UD	Elliot Lake	Elliot Lake	20.00	25.44	
UD	Corinthian	Kintore	20.00	15.30	
				160,758.80	3,073.69
					153.97

Receipts from Lodges	\$ 160,758.80
Interest	31,081.97
Debentures Matured or Sold	48,390.00
Refunds	13,144.44
Sale of Histories	78.00
Sale of Centennial Souvenir Medals	14.70
Sundries	1,396.70
	\$ 254,864.61

### GENERAL ACCOUNT

#### Summary of Receipts Year Ended May 31st, 1959

Fees, Registration of Initiations	\$ 12,274.90
Fees, Registration of Affiliations	478.72
Dues	130,704.31
Certificates	152.00
Constitutions	3,981.70
Ceremonies	90.60
Dispensations	1,235.00
Commutation of Dues	10,488.50
Warrants	50.00
Musical Rituals	90.00
Sale of Centennial Souvenir Medals	14.70
Sale of Booklets	561.64
Sale of Manuals	489.36
Sale of Histories	78.00

#### Refunds:—

St. Andrews Lodge, No. 16	30.00
Manito Lodge, No. 90	45.00
Temple Lodge, No. 296	456.22
Stanley Lodge, No. 426	208.00

Garden Lodge, No. 641 .....	98.03
Brougham Union Lodge No. 269	40.00
Sussex Lodge, No. 5 .....	200.00
Shuniah Lodge, No. 287 .....	270.00
Oak Branch Lodge, No. 261 .....	20.00
North Gate Lodge, No. 591 .....	60.00
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Conference of Canadian Grand Lodges .....	1,427.25
Masonic Holdings .....	1,500.00
Grand Lodge Meeting Expenses, 1958 .....	10,050.44
Donation, Lawn Bowling Club, Toronto .....	77.75
Miscellaneous .....	89.00
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	1,558.77

## Interest on Investments:—

Canada Permanent Mortgage Corp.	825.00
Hydro Electric Power Commission of Ont. ....	9,089.08
Municipality of Metro. Toronto ....	4,672.50
Dominion of Canada .....	2,354.58
Governors of the Univ. of Toronto	750.00
Province of Ontario .....	6,695.17
Toronto Harbour Commissioners ....	112.50
Victoria & Grey Trust Co. ....	450.00
City of Hamilton .....	1,875.00
City of Windsor .....	385.00
Township of Sandwich East .....	80.00
Masonic Holdings .....	3,793.14
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	31,081.97

## Debentures Matured or Sold:—

\$ 5,000.00	Canada Permanent Mortgage Corp. ....	5,000.00
\$20,000.00	Province of Ontario ....	19,950.00
\$ 1,000.00	Toronto Harbour Commission ....	1,000.00
\$22,000.00	Hydro Electric Power Commission .....	22,440.00
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		48,390.00
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		\$ 254,864.61
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**MEMORIAL FUND**

Donations .....	109.83
Debentures Matured or Sold	
\$1,000.00 Toronto Harbour Commissioners ....	1,000.00
District of N. Vancouver .....	90.29
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	\$ 1,200.12
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## SEMI-CENTENNIAL &amp; MEMORIAL FUND

Revenue Account, Year Ended May 31st, 1959.

Hydro Electric Power Commission .....	9,433.75
Province of Ontario .....	4,787.50
Government of Canada .....	687.86
Metropolitan Toronto .....	1,050.00
City of Hamilton .....	487.50
City of Saskatoon .....	250.00
Toronto Harbour Commissioners .....	112.50
Canada Permanent Mortgage Corporation .....	1,015.00
Victoria & Grey Trust Company .....	900.00
City of Windsor .....	1,278.54
District of N. Vancouver .....	30.28
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	\$ 20,032.98

Respectfully and fraternally submitted,



Grand Secretary.

On motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. E. G. Dixon, Grand Secretary, the report was received and referred to the Committee on Audit and Finance.

## MEDALS AND PINS AWARDED

The following brethren have been awarded Medals and Pins during the year.

## WILLIAM MERCER WILSON MEDAL

Bro. R. W. Davies, Stratford No. 332, Stratford.  
 " L. E. Ede, Minden No. 253, Kingston.  
 " H. Gooding, Chaudiere No. 264, Ottawa.

- ” W. R. Johnson, Cedar No. 270, Oshawa.
- ” J. Liddell, Windsor No. 403, Windsor.
- ” R. Tait, Connaught No. 501, Toronto.

And so 54 members have been awarded this Medal since it was adopted in 1945.

### LONG SERVICE MEDAL (Fifty Years a Past Master)

- R.W. Bro. B. Buchanan, Percy No. 161, Dartford.
- V.W. Bro. W. W. Taman, Lebanon Forest, No. 133, Exeter.
- W. Bro. R. Clark, Galt No. 257, Galt.
- ” J. H. Cliff, Valley No. 100, Dundas.
- ” J. K. M. Gordon, Old Light No. 184, Lucknow.
- ” C. R. Hackett, Thistle No. 34, Amherstburg.
- ” C. K. Henderson, New Hope No. 279, Hespeler.
- ” J. E. Johnson, Kilwinning No. 64, London.
- ” J. R. Moore, St. John's No. 63, Ingersoll.
- ” J. A. Shaw, Ashlar No. 247, Toronto.
- ” S. Smith, Ionic No. 25, Toronto.
- ” A. F. Sprott, Harmony No. 438, Toronto.

### SIXTY YEAR PIN FOR LONG SERVICE MEDAL

The following brethren have been awarded a Sixty Year Pin in recognition of sixty years' service as a Past Master:

- W. Bro. W. A. Davis, Verulam No. 268, Bobcaygeon.
- ” T. Montellier, St. Paul's No. 107, Lambeth.
- ” J. McCulloch, Corinthian No. 101, Peterborough.
- ” J. Sohrt, Preston No. 297, Preston.

### VETERAN JUBILEE MEDALS (Fifty Years a Mason)

- M.W. Bro. W. J. Dunlop, Peterborough No. 155, Peterborough.
- R.W. Bro. E. M. Clipsham, Golden Rule No. 409, Gravenhurst.
- ” W. R. Dixon, Algonquin No. 434, Emsdale.
- ” H. S. Galloway, Keewatin No. 417, Keewatin.
- ” F. Johnson, Pnyx No. 312, Wallaceburg.
- ” W. H. C. McEachern, Zeta No. 410, Toronto.
- ” C. W. McIntosh, Sidney Albert Luke No. 558, Ottawa.
- ” C. E. Richardson, St. James No. 73, St. Marys.
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- ” H. E. Rorke, Clinton No. 84, Clinton.
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 " P. Atkinson, Preston No. 297, Preston.  
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 " P. E. Boyd, Ionic No. 25, Toronto.  
 " R. J. Brookfield, King Hiram No. 78, Tillsonburg.  
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 " J. A. Clements, Tuscan No. 437, Sarnia.  
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 " B. C. Dawson, Speed No. 180, Guelph.  
 " R. N. Epplett, Xenophon No. 448, Wheatley.  
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 " H. W. Guess, Albion No. 109, Harrowsmith.  
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 " C. A. Kesselring, Cedar No. 396, London.  
 " G. M. Kirk, St. Andrew's No. 497, Arden.  
 " E. H. Knight, Scotland No. 193, Oakland.  
 " W. H. Lamb, Civil Service No. 148, Ottawa.  
 " James Love, St. Paul's No. 107, Lambeth.  
 " J. F. MacKinnon, St. Francis No. 24, Smiths Falls.  
 " W. T. Merritt, McColl No. 386, West Lorne.  
 " W. M. Messer, Temple No. 597, London.  
 " J. C. Munro, St. John's No. 35, Cayuga.  
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 " D. R. McCahill, Forest No. 263, Forest.  
 " W. E. McCready, Haileybury No. 485, Haileybury.

- ” J. McPhail, Algonquin No. 434, Emsdale.
- ” N. L. Oliver, Seven Star No. 285, Alliston.
- ” J. Phillips, Mimico No. 369, Lambton Mills.
- ” H. F. Renwick, King Hiram No. 78, Tillsonburg.
- ” J. E. Robson, Henderson No. 388, Ilderton.
- ” C. P. Ross, St. George's No. 42, London.
- ” A. R. Rundle, Wellington No. 635, Toronto.
- ” T. A. Sharp, Caledonian No. 249, Midland.
- ” B. G. Smith, Washington No. 260, Petrolia.
- ” O. R. Steadman, Mountain No. 221, Thorold.
- ” J. R. Stork, Temple No. 296, St. Catharines.
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- ” C. W. Worth, Occident No. 346, Toronto.
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- ” T. M. Aver, St. John's No. 82, Paris.
- ” S. C. Balfour, Strict Observance No. 27, Hamilton.
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- ” W. R. Bell, Harmony No. 438, Toronto.
- ” W. G. Bennett, St. John's No. 82, Paris.
- ” W. J. Bennett, King Solomon's No. 43, Woodstock.
- ” J. Berry, Seymour No. 277, St. Catharines.
- ” B. E. Birde, Tuscan No. 99, Newmarket.
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- ” T. Bolton, Tuscan No. 99, Newmarket.
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” W. G. Burns, Dalhousie No. 52, Ottawa.  
” W. G. Caines, Doric No. 233, Parkhill.  
” J. C. Callaghan, Strict Observance No. 27, Hamilton.  
” A. B. Campbell, Plantagenet No. 186, Riceville.  
” W. Carder, Leamington No. 290, Leamington.  
” C. H. Carnahan, Strict Observance No. 27, Hamilton.  
” W. Chalmers, Alma No. 72, Galt.  
” S. J. Charlton, Clementi No. 313, Lakefield.  
” C. Christman, Orillia No. 192, Orillia.  
” R. D. Clinton, Prince Edward No. 18, Picton.  
” A. E. Cock, Windsor No. 403, Windsor.  
” W. D. Colby, Wellington No. 46, Chatham.  
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” K. B. Conger, Civil Service No. 148, Ottawa.  
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” W. H. Cotterell, Occident No. 346, Toronto.  
” A. R. Croft, Verulam No. 268, Bobcaygeon.  
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” W. N. Donnelly, Temple No. 324, Hamilton.  
” F. C. Doran, St. John's No. 75, Toronto.  
” G. Duffy, Parthenon No. 267, Chatham.  
” F. C. Duke, Macoy No. 242, Mallorytown.  
” H. M. Dunlop, The Barton No. 6, Hamilton.  
” F. B. Edwards, Georgina No. 343, Toronto.  
” F. J. Edwards, Sussex No. 5, Brockville.  
” W. G. Edwards, Goodwood No. 159, Richmond.  
” R. Elliott, Georgian No. 348, Penetanguishene.  
” W. J. Elliott, Alma No. 72, Galt.  
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” C. D. Feeley, Great Western No. 47, Windsor.  
” W. T. Fegan, Alpha No. 384, Toronto.  
” A. H. Felt, Corinthian No. 96, Barrie.  
” G. H. Fenson, St. John's No. 75, Toronto.  
” M. W. Fenton, Great Western No. 47, Windsor.  
” D. J. Ferguson, St. George's No. 42, London.

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” M. Fraser, Fort William No. 415, Fort William.  
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” J. Y. Gerard, The Builders No. 177, Ottawa.  
” O. Gesche, The Builders No. 177, Ottawa.  
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” S. M. Gray, Cornwall No. 125, Cornwall.  
” E. Griffith, Stanley No. 426, Toronto.  
” E. J. W. Griffith, St. George's No. 42, London.  
” F. A. Hague, Stevenson No. 218, Toronto.  
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” C. E. Harrison, The Barton No. 6, Hamilton.  
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” W. Hipperson, Peterborough No. 155, Peterborough.  
” A. Hodgins, Shuniah No. 287, Port Arthur.  
” C. Hodgson, Somerville No. 451, Kinmount.  
” W. Hopkins, Cataraqui No. 92, Kingston.  
” C. C. Horn, Zetland No. 326, Toronto.  
” A. Houlgate, St. James No. 73, St. Marys.  
” W. S. Howard, Ashlar No. 247, Toronto.  
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” S. Hueston, Union No. 380, London.  
” D. Hughes, Macnab No. 169, Port Colborne.  
” B. W. Hunter, Tuscan No. 99, Newmarket.  
” H. C. Irwin, North Star No. 322, Owen Sound.  
” R. P. Isbister, The Barton No. 6, Hamilton.  
” S. L. Janes, Havelock No. 238, Watford.  
” W. E. Jackson, Tuscan No. 99, Newmarket.  
” W. F. Johnson, Acacia No. 61, Hamilton.  
” G. H. Johns, Wellington No. 46, Chatham.  
” H. Johnston, Zeta No. 410, Toronto.  
” J. C. Johnston, St. John's No. 104, Norwich.  
” D. Jordan, Ancient St. John's No. 3, Kingston.  
” S. J. Kennedy, Brock No. 354, Cannington.  
” N. H. Kern, Seymour No. 272, Ancaster.  
” A. H. Kirby, St. John's No. 75, Toronto.  
” F. S. Lackie, Harmony No. 438, Toronto.  
” W. Lang, St. Andrew's No. 593, Hamilton.  
” F. W. Lange, Guelph No. 258, Guelph.  
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” E. W. Luxford, Great Western No. 47, Windsor.  
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” G. C. MacDonald, Eureka No. 283, Belleville.  
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” W. C. Mitchell, Moira No. 11, Belleville.  
” A. R. McBrien, Central No. 402, Essex.  
” N. E. McCarty, King Hiram No. 37, Ingersoll.  
” A. D. McLean, King Edward No. 464, Sunderland.  
” C. A. McClenahan, Burlington No. 165, Burlington.  
” K. W. McConnell, Stanley No. 426, Toronto.  
” B. McCracken, Colborne No. 91, Colborne.  
” A. B. McCreery, Great Western No. 47, Windsor.  
” A. R. McDonald, Corinthian No. 96, Barrie.  
” J. E. McDonald, Thistle No. 250, Embro.  
” F. McElroy, Great Western No. 47, Windsor.  
” F. H. McFadzen, Waverley No. 361, Guelph.  
” W. L. McGill, Fidelity No. 428, Port Perry.  
” A. McGinnis, Belleville No. 11, Belleville.  
” F. S. McGrath, Temiskaming No. 462, New Liskeard.  
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” C. McNiven, Corinthian No. 96, Barrie.  
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” C. Neilson, Cassia No. 116, Thedford.  
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” J. L. Nichols, Leamington No. 290, Leamington.  
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” H. E. O'Neil, King Solomon's No. 43, Woodstock.  
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 " W. S. Rose, Peterborough No. 155, Peterborough.  
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 " P. B. Scott, Norwood No. 223, Norwood.  
 " C. L. Secord, Niagara No. 2, Niagara-on-the-Lake.  
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 " G. E. Seldon, King Hiram No. 37, Ingersoll.  
 " F. W. Sherman, United No. 29, Brighton.  
 " W. M. Shortt, Henderson No. 383, Winchester.  
 " R. N. Shouldice, Cedar No. 396, Wiarton.  
 " A. E. Silverwood, The Tuscan No. 195, London.  
 " C. H. Simpson, Windsor No. 403, Windsor.  
 " A. G. Slaght, Haileybury No. 485, Haileybury.  
 " H. A. Smail, Central No. 110, Prescott.  
 " M. A. Small, Shuniah No. 287, Port Arthur.  
 " A. M. Smith, Victoria No. 474, Toronto.  
 " D. H. Smith, Algoma No. 469, Sault Ste. Marie.  
 " J. N. Smith, Seymour No. 272, Ancaster.  
 " R. E. Smith, Leamington No. 290, Leamington.  
 " J. Snowball, St. George's No. 88, Owen Sound.  
 " E. P. S. Spencer, Silver No. 486, Cobalt.  
 " E. Spreadborough, Muskoka No. 360, Bracebridge.  
 " W. H. Sproule, Alexandria No. 158, Oil Springs.  
 " H. B. Stock, Moira No. 11, Belleville.  
 " J. Stuart, Windsor No. 403, Windsor.  
 " H. J. Sutherland, Corinthian No. 330, London.  
 " H. L. TarBush, Corinthian No. 96, Barrie.  
 " W. Taylor, Victory No. 563, Chatham.  
 " G. W. F. Thompson, Georgina No. 343, Toronto.  
 " A. E. Thompson, Great Western No. 47, Windsor.  
 " F. W. Thompson, Faithful Brethren No. 77, Lindsay.  
 " F. S. Thomson, St. John's No. 75, Toronto.  
 " C. H. Tinsley, Union No. 380, London.  
 " T. Todd, St. John's No. 40, Hamilton.  
 " C. W. Turnbull, Brant No. 45, Brantford.  
 " W. Vair, Galt No. 257, Galt.  
 " W. VanAllen, Tweed No. 239, Tweed.  
 " H. Vila, The Barton No. 6, Hamilton.  
 " W. E. Vincent, Fidelity No. 428, Port Perry.  
 " M. Volkert, Preston No. 297, Preston.

- ” H. H. Walker, Georgina No. 343, Toronto.
- ” F. W. Walter, Canada No. 532, Toronto.
- ” G. H. Wanless, Wellington No. 46, Chatham.
- ” D. H. Warriner, Algoma No. 469, Sault Ste. Marie.
- ” A. Webster, Civil Service No. 148, Ottawa.
- ” W. H. Wensley, Tecumseh No. 144, Stratford.
- ” R. E. Weston, King Hiram No. 78, Tillsonburg.
- ” F. O. Whitcomb, Osiris No. 489, Smiths Falls.
- ” C. E. Wilkins, New Hope No. 279, Hespeler.
- ” G. D. Wilson, Doric No. 316, Toronto.
- ” W. H. Wilson, Mountain No. 221, Thorold.
- ” J. F. Wolfraim, Colborne No. 91, Colborne.
- ” H. R. Wood, Algoma No. 469, Sault Ste. Marie.
- ” J. A. Woods, Blenheim No. 108, Princeton.
- ” W. S. Wyatt, St. George's No. 42, London.
- ” J. S. Yeaman, King Hiram No. 566, Toronto.
- ” F. J. York, Moffat No. 399, Harrietsville.
- ” E. R. Youngs, St. Thomas No. 44, St. Thomas.

### SIXTY YEAR PIN FOR VETERAN JUBILEE MEDAL

The following brethren have been awarded a Sixty Year Pin in recognition of sixty years' service as a Mason:

- R.W. Bro. J. J. Parsons, King Solomon No 329, Jarvis.
- V.W. Bro. H. Arrell, St. Andrew's No. 62, Caledonia.
- ” W. W. Taman, Lebanon Forest No. 133, Exeter.
- ” A. R. Terry, Elma No. 456, Monkton.
- W. Bro. J. Linden, Henderson No. 388, Ilderton.
- ” J. McCulloch, Corinthian No. 101, Peterborough.
- ” J. A. Shaw, Ashlar No. 247, Toronto.
- ” S. W. Smith, Ionic No. 25, Toronto.
- Bro. G. W. Alguire, Friendly Brothers' No. 143, Iroquois.
- ” D. W. Campbell, Pembroke No. 128, Pembroke.
- ” J. Chambers, Stevenson No. 218, Toronto.
- ” F. Ford, Ionic No. 25, Toronto.
- ” T. J. Foster, Keystone No. 412, Sault Ste. Marie.
- ” J. A. Gunn, Zetland No. 326, Toronto.
- ” J. L. Harris, King Edward VII No. 471, Chippawa.
- ” W. A. Lawson, St. Andrew's No. 16, Toronto.
- ” MacLennan, St. John's No. 40, Hamilton.
- ” J. E. McIntyre, Scott No. 421, Grand Valley.
- ” F. Nelson, Arkona No. 307, Arkona.
- ” W. W. A. Trench, Richmond No. 23, Richmond Hill.
- ” C. H. Westwood, Manitoba No. 236, Cookstown.
- ” C. Williams, Moira No. 11, Belleville.
- ” H. M. Woodruff, Albion No. 109, Harrowsmith.

### COMMITTEE OF SCRUTINEERS

The Grand Master appointed V.W. Bro. Robert Strachan, Chairman of the Committee of Scrutin-

ers to supervise and count the vote at the election of Grand Lodge officers, with power to name the members of the Committee.

## **RESOLUTION REGARDING HONORARY RANK**

The following resolution was presented by M.W. Bro. J. P. Maher;

"In his Report, The Grand Master has referred to the late V.W. Bro. Ernest B. Thompson, who for many years had acted as the chairman of our Scrutineers; and also to V.W. Bro. James W. Hamilton, who acted as the Chairman of the Committee on Credentials. The Grand Master has pointed out that both of these brethren have rendered splendid service to Grand Lodge and, therefore, in accordance with the Grand Master's recommendation. I take pleasure in moving, seconded by M.W. Bro. F. A. Copus, that the Honorary Rank of Past Grand Senior Warden be conferred, posthumously, on Very Worshipful Brother Ernest B. Thompson; and that the Honorary Rank of Past Grand Senior Warden be conferred on Very Worshipful Brother James W. Hamilton."

The resolution was carried with great applause.

## **REPORTS OF THE DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MASTERS**

The reports of the thirty-seven District Deputy Grand Masters were presented by the Grand Secretary and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by the Grand Secretary, they were received and referred to the Board of General Purposes.

The Report of every District Deputy Grand Master is addressed to "The Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge, A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario." Each begins, "Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren," and every one ends, quite rightly, "Respectfully and fraternally submitted." To save space these formalities are omitted from the beginning and end of each Report.

## ALGOMA DISTRICT

This past year as District Deputy Grand Master of Algoma has been an inspiration to me, the realization of my hopes and the culmination of my efforts in the advancement of Masonry. It was my privilege to act as District Supervisor of Masonic education for my predecessor, and the experience proved to be of great assistance to me this year.

The office of District Secretary was capably handled by Wor. Bro. Allan Perry, a Past Master of Royal Lodge, No. 453, and the supervision of Masonic education was well looked after by Wor. Bro. Steward Knox, a Past Master of Port Arthur Lodge, No. 499. These two brethren visited all Lodges in the District with me and while the Secretary made all arrangements and kept records, the Supervisor of Education either delivered an address or brought an expert brother with him to advance the knowledge of Masonry.

Our District Chaplain, Bro. Rev. David Mitchell, of Fort William Lodge, No. 415, was moved away early in December, and we were deprived of most of his services, which was unfortunate for us, as we feel he would have made a tremendous contribution to the Craft. One of our experienced brethren, Bro. Rev. Russell Peden, of Shuniah Lodge, No. 287, very kindly filled in at times during the balance of the year. To these officers, I wish to express my personal thanks and am sure, the thanks of all district lodge members for their excellent work.

At all Lodges, we were received with due and ancient respect. We found all books and records in excellent order, thanks to the diligent work of the lodge Secretaries. All our Lodges are flourishing with one exception, and this particular one will require assistance in obtaining new lodge quarters.

The three Port Arthur lodges combined forces to attend Divine Service at Trinity United Church, October 19th, where the District Chaplain was in charge and preached the sermon. Hornepayne Lodge members and visitors held their Church Service the following morning, after our official visit to them, in which it was our privilege to join. Connaught Lodge, No. 511, held their Annual Church Service on June 21st, at First Presbyterian Church in West Fort William.

During the year, I presented seventeen life memberships, one Fifty Year Medal, and a great number of Master Mason Certificates.

One of the year's highlights was a visit to Atikokan Lodge, of the Western District, in company with their District Deputy, Rt. Wor. Bro. John B. Fraser, on the occasion of his official visit to my own Lodge, and was the guest speaker of the evening.

At the end of November last, my good wife passed away very suddenly, and it was at this time, that I felt the great

power and support of Masonry and received the greatest assistance from my brethren. My duties of office were temporarily delayed, but proved a great help during the period following.

The President and members of the Past Masters' Association were of tremendous support during the year, and I hope that my efforts were of some assistance to them on their official visits.

To all Masters, officers, and brethren, I wish to extend my thanks for their courteous reception and to express my entire satisfaction of the manner in which their meetings were conducted.

ROY A. GUNN, D.D.G.M.

### BRANT DISTRICT

To have represented the Most Worshipful the Grand Master in Brant District has been a great privilege, and an experience which I will remember all my life. The warm and cordial welcome I received in every Lodge shows the respect with which Grand Lodge is held by all brethren in the District.

I appointed Wor. Bro. Wm. H. Dilworth District Secretary; Bro. Rev. S. J. Pike, District Chaplain; and Wor. Bro. Oscar Simpson, Director of Masonic Education. These brethren are to be commended highly on the manner with which they discharged their important duties.

I found the degree work as performed by the Lodges to be uniform and of a high calibre, which impressed the candidates with the highest ideals exemplified in Masonry in each degree.

Brant District has an energetic Masters', Past Masters' and Wardens' Association, which is responsible for a keen interest in Masonic Education. W. Bro. Len Taylor, of Brantford, President of the Association, is to be highly commended for the keen interest and the untiring effort he put forth, which did so much to make Masonic Education so interesting and instructive. It was due to the instigation of this Association that on three nights three different Lodges worked a First, Second and Third Degree for instruction, and constructive criticism was invited. These Lodges of Instruction had large and enthusiastic attendances and were much appreciated.

Eight of the fourteen Lodges held Divine Services, and a largely attended District Divine Service was held in the St. George United Church, under the direction of Bro. Rev. S. J. Pike, District Chaplain, whose theme was "God, the Creator". The Woodstock Masonic Choir, under the direction of V. Wor. Bro. J. W. Bryan, contributed greatly to the Service by its

excellent rendition of "Remember now Thy Creator", and other selections. The church was filled to the doors and chairs were placed in the aisles to accommodate the brethren and their families. The Women's Association served refreshments after the Service.

Burford Lodge, No. 106, held a centennial celebration on October 29th, 1958. A banquet was served in the Burford Fair Grounds Pavilion. A very large number of Masons from all over Ontario were present and spent a most enjoyable evening. An excellent entertainment was provided and many addresses and expressions of congratulations were tendered this fine old Lodge. Most Wor. Bro. Nelson C. Hart, London, gave an inspiring address. Four Lodges in the District now have the honour to wear gold regalia.

The District was saddened by the passing to The Grand Lodge Above of two P.D.D.G.M.s, Rt. Wor. Bro W. J. Feldcamp, of Ozias Lodge, No. 508, Brantford, and Rt. Wor. Bro. M. Hawley, of St. John's Lodge, No. 82, Paris. These brethren are sadly missed.

No words of mine can express my grateful appreciation for the sympathy received by my family and myself from all Masons in the District on the occasion of the sudden passing of my dear wife last March. I thank you from my heart.

Masonry in Brant District is of long standing, but young and vigorous in its outlook. It has a glorious past and I look for even a more glorious future. I thank all brethren for the respect accorded my office, and the warm hearted welcome I received everywhere in all Lodges. I humbly feel it was my greatest experience in Masonry to represent the Grand Master.

S. E. E. WAIT, D.D.G.M.

## BRUCE DISTRICT

As my year as District Deputy Grand Master in Bruce District draws to a close, I am acutely conscious of a deep abiding sense of gratitude to the brethren of this District for granting me the opportunity to further my Masonic knowledge, to broaden my concept of our great institution, and to serve in some small way the fraternity in this area. Humility and pride are normally considered contradictory terms, but they are two emotions which must of necessity move every brother who has filled this high office. No one can be but humbled from the moment he receives his obligation in the thought that he has been chosen to represent the head of our Craft and has been considered worthy by his brethren to discharge that most important duty, nor can he be but proud in the magnificent record of achievement of his District and of the whole fraternity.

I consider I was particularly fortunate in my choice of District Officers: Wor. Bro. T. E. Brant, District Secretary; Bro. Rev. R. R. Conner, District Chaplain, and V. Wor. Bro. J. N. H. Norton, District Supervisor of Masonic Education. Wor. Bro. Brant contributed materially to the success of all my official visits. All the books and records of each constituent Lodge were carefully examined by him and it is a source of satisfaction to report that he found them to be in excellent order. On certain occasions, his helpful and kindly guidance were of substantial assistance to the individual Lodges. The financial condition of our Lodges appears to be on a sound foundation and it is gratifying to observe that many of our Lodges own their own premises. I was particularly impressed by the condition of all the lodge buildings and furniture; they reflected the pride of the brethren in their Masonic home.

Bro. Rev. R. R. Conner fulfilled his duties as District Chaplain in the highest tradition of our Order. He not only attended many of my inspections with me, but always displayed a keen interest in the affairs of this District. The District Divine Service held in St. Paul's United Church, Walkerton, was very well attended, with almost all Lodges represented. The Masonic Choir and Quartette added greatly to the occasion, but the address of the District Chaplain was a highlight of the year. Every brother in the Church left the Service a better Mason after listening to Bro. Conner.

For some eight years, V. Wor. Bro. Norton has been District Supervisor of Masonic Education. The unselfish devotion of this brother to the highest ideals of the Order reached its culmination in this his final year. Regardless of road conditions, distances, or the weight of many responsibilities, he attended all my visits and all the Schools of Instruction, save only when prevented by sickness or by the pressing emergencies of his private avocation. Bruce District will long remember the sterling character and valuable contributions of Bro. Norton. I would also acknowledge the support and encouragement given me by the brethren of Saugeen Lodge, Walkerton. On every visit a goodly representation from my own Lodge was present to greet me.

I was privileged to represent this District at Northern Light Lodge, No. 93, in North Huron District on two occasions during the celebration of their hundredth anniversary, once when our Grand Master was entertained and again when Wor. Bro. Judge Bushnell, of Detroit, addressed the brethren.

The outstanding event of the year, however, was the visit on May 29th last, of our Grand Master, the Most Worshipful H. L. Martyn, who attended a banquet tendered to him by the brethren of this District at Walkerton. His address that evening was an inspiration which will live long in the minds of all who heard him and marked another milestone for this

District in its record of service to the Craft and this Community.

Finally, may I express my sincere appreciation to all whose co-operation and consideration so materially assisted me in my year of office.

P. S. MACKENZIE, D.D.G.M.

### CHATHAM DISTRICT

The past year has been a very rewarding and enjoyable one and a wonderful experience for me. To the Masters, Officers and Members of the fifteen Lodges of the District who made it so, I express my gratitude. I am especially grateful to the District Officers who so ably assisted me during the year.

Wor. Bro. Verne Nurse, District Secretary, accompanied me on all my official visits, performing his duties in a very capable manner. The records of each Lodge were carefully examined and found to be in good condition. Wor. Bro. Rev. S. E. Stevenson, District Chaplain, and Rt. Wor. Bro. Lorne Elliott, Chairman of Masonic Education, accompanied me on most occasions.

Early in September I presented Grand Steward's Regalia to V. Wor. Bro. Earl Rupert, of Baldloon Lodge, Wallaceburg.

I took part in the Constituting and Consecrating of Baldloon Lodge, No. 694, with Most Worshipful Bro. Harry L. Martyn presiding. This was a splendid occasion with over 400 in attendance. Later I installed and invested the first officers of the Lodge.

I officially visited every Lodge and am pleased to report that the degree work was of high standard. I was impressed by the sincerity and understanding of the officers and members who took part in the work. On my visit to Parthenon Lodge in Chatham I presented eight Masonic Bibles to candidates who had proved their work in the Third Degree and were receiving their aprons. I presented four Veteran Jubilee Medals, and one Past Master's Jewel during the year.

The majority of the Lodges held Ladies' Nights, many of which Mrs. O'Neill and I attended. The friendliness and hospitality exhibited made these visits very pleasant.

Most Lodges held Church Services which I attended whenever possible. The District Divine Service was held in Rutherford United Church on June 7th with more than 200 brethren in attendance. This was a thrilling occasion for me as this is the church which I attend. To accommodate the capacity crowd of wives and friends a P.A. system was installed in the neighbouring Presbyterian Church and all enjoyed the

splendid Service. The Grand Chaplain, Rt. Wor. Rev. R. S. Skinner, of Harrow, gave a short address and the District Chaplain, Wor. Bro. Rev. S. E. Stevenson, delivered the sermon.

Plans have been made by Florence Lodge, No. 390, for a dinner in my honour to be held in Florence Community Centre on June 17th. Masonic brethren of the District and their wives have been invited to the banquet. Bro. Rev. H. Rodney, of St. Thomas, will be guest speaker.

It has been a privilege to serve my brethren and I would express my thanks for the co-operation and understanding that has been accorded me by the members and officers throughout the District.

WM. OTTO O'NEILL, D.D.G.M.

## EASTERN DISTRICT

As this is the close of my year as D.D.G.M. for Eastern District, it is my pleasure to submit this report of the year's activities. It has been a busy year and one that will provide many pleasant memories for the future.

I appointed Rt. Wor. Bro. D. S. McIntosh as my District Secretary, and Wor. Bro. Rev. Robertson Millar as District Chaplain. In these two appointments I was very fortunate, as they were a tower of strength in planning and carrying on the work.

We visited all nineteen Lodges in the District, and I am very happy to report the good condition of Masonry in Eastern District. The District Secretary reports all records and finances in good condition.

The Masters and officers carried on their work in a very dignified and creditable manner, and all applicants for initiation were well screened to ensure that only the right material would be used in the Lodge.

On November 7th in Lancaster Lodge, No. 207, the R.C.M.P. Degree Team from Ottawa raised a member of Lancaster Lodge who is with the R.C.M.P. We were all very much impressed with the dignity and precision in which the work was done. These brethren are indeed a credit to Masonry, and an honour to the organization to which they belong. Also in Alexandria Lodge, No. 439, on March 4th, there were two MacLeods initiated into Masonry and all chairs were filled with MacLeods.

There were two dedications of lodge rooms. The first, of Excelsior Lodge, No. 142, Morrisburg, on October 17th, under the direction of Rt. Wor. Bro. C. M. Pitts, D.G.M.; and the second, of Wales Lodge, No. 458, on May 9th, under the direction of Most Wor. Bro. Harry L. Martyn, G.M. Both

these ceremonies were very impressive and also largely attended by brethren from all over the District.

Several Lodges in the District held Ladies' Nights, which Mrs. McDermid and I were privileged to attend, enjoying the hospitality extended on these occasions.

Several Lodges held Church Services which were well attended. We had our District Church Service in St. Andrew's United Church, Martintown, conducted by our District Chaplain, Wor. Bro. Rev. Robertson Millar. We had between 450 and 500 Masons in attendance, and also a good attendance of friends of the Masonic fraternity. Masons in Eastern District are realizing the importance of the District Church Service, and interest and attendance are steadily increasing.

I can report that Masonry in Eastern District is in splendid condition. The Wor. Masters and officers are carrying out their duties with honor and dignity, and are holding fast to our ancient landmarks.

KENNETH McDERMID, D.D.G.M.

### FRONTENAC DISTRICT

To have served as the District Deputy Grand Master in the Frontenac District has been a challenging and, quite frankly, a very pleasant experience.

I appointed Wor. Bro. Bruce Guthrie as the District Secretary, and he has fulfilled his duties with the utmost skill and devotion. Wor. Bro. Rev. R. A. McCrea was appointed District Chaplain, and Rt. Wor. Bro. T. J. Donnelly, supervisor of Masonic Education.

The eighteen Lodges were each visited officially once, and certain other visits were made on special occasions. The courtesy extended to me and the warmth of the receptions attested to the respect of the brethren for the Grand Master's personal representative and for me personally.

The work in the various Lodges was performed with dignity and skill, and I have no hesitation in saying that Masonry in Frontenac District is in a very thriving condition.

A feature which is worthy of special mention is the interest being shown in improving and beautifying lodge premises. Two Lodges have recently provided themselves with new Temples, and others have acquired banquet rooms and have redecorated. These activities, usually accomplished in spite of limited resources, are examples of the spirit of sacrifice and devotion which prevails among the brethren of the District.

During the year, Albion Lodge, No. 109, Harrowsmith, attained the one hundredth year of its existence, and on

November 23rd and 24th the event was suitably commemorated. On Sunday, November 23rd, the Worshipful Master, George M. Spafford, and members of his Lodge, held a Divine Service in the United Church, Harrowsmith. The speaker was V. Wor. Bro. Rev. Donald Vatcher, Chaplain of Cata-raqui Lodge, Kingston. On Monday evening, November 24th, centennial ceremonies were held in the lodge room.

The presentation of the gold regalia and the dedication of a new Volume of The Sacred Law were made by Most Wor. Bro. John A. McRae. The Volume of The Sacred Law was the gift of Wor. Bro. Laverne Kerr in memory of his father, the late Wor. Bro. Thos. Kerr. The members of the Watson family presented new Altar Square and Compasses in memory of the five late Bros. Watson who had all been Past Masters of Albion Lodge. Most Wor. Bro. McRae was the speaker at the banquet.

The Masonic Education work was highlighted by a District Lodge of Instruction in the Masonic Temple, Kingston, on April 27th. The Master Mason Degree was exemplified and Rt. Wor. Bro. Mo'son Cain kindly attended and acted as instructor. The meeting was well attended and I wish to thank Rt. Wor. Bro. Donnelly for his efforts which were largely responsible for the success of the undertaking.

A District Divine Service was held in Chalmers United Church, Kingston, at which were honored by the presence of the Grand Chaplain, Rt. Wor. Bro. R. S. Skinner. There were about 300 Masons present and the District Chaplain is to be congratulated on the Service.

On November 8th, I had the pleasure of accompanying the Deputy Grand Master on a special visit to Union Lodge, Napanee. Rt. Wor. Bro. Pitts' address on that occasion was an inspiration to the many Masons in attendance. The wonderful support given me during the year by the Past Grand Lodge officers is deeply appreciated.

TALMAGE H. STONE, D.D.G.M.

## GEORGIAN DISTRICT

This report brings to a close, somewhat, the most interesting, pleasurable, instructive and inspiring year of my life. I sincerely hope that I have given more than I have received. If this is so — much credit must be given to my District Secretary and District Chaplain.

I appointed Wor. Bro. Harry Morren as my District Secretary, Bro. Rev. John Riddell, the District Chaplain, and Wor. Bro. F. L. Crowe as Supervisor of Masonic Education. Wor. Bro. Morren accompanied me on every visit and the Chaplain missed but two.

Together, the Secretary and I drew up a schedule of visits which was followed throughout my term. Wor. Bro. Morren showed a keen interest in every visit and brought a real inspiration to each and every Secretary. He reports that the books and records of the lodges are in a splendid condition; the general financial structure of the lodges are in good order and insurance seemed adequate.

My District Chaplain was a most interesting travelling companion and a tower of strength. He spoke at several of the banquets which followed our visits. He encouraged all lodges to hold a Divine Service. His work culminated in our District Divine Service. There was a goodly representation from each of our 20 lodges. The 180 Masons who were present at St. Giles Church, Barrie, enjoyed the inspiring address delivered by the Chaplain, entitled "Masonry and the Space Age".

One of the many highlights of my term occurred at the start of my year. This was the centenary celebration of my Mother Lodge, Corinthian, No. 96. Of this celebration two events stand out in my mind. First, the banquet at which R.W. Bro. C. M. Pitts, D.G.M., was the eloquent speaker. Secondly, the "Master's Night" when the chairs and all the floor work of the degree were performed by the Masters of the Lodges of the District. It is a pleasure to report that R.W. Bro. Pitts, D.G.M., was again in my district about a month later. This time he assisted greatly in the success of the 75th anniversary of Caledonia Lodge, Midland.

On each official visit I endeavoured to promote Masonic Education. I suggested that at each regular meeting a five to ten-minute talk be given. This talk could be based on the articles prepared by the Grand Lodge Committee or from the Manual on Masonic Education. It was a delight on two occasions when on special visits to listen to such. These talks were delivered while the candidate was being prepared. I commend this period to all Lodges. From the lodge notices received, I read that most Lodges had committees on Masonic education and there were times they justified their existence. Georgian District is fortunate to be well supplied with brethren who are well read and splendid speakers. My fervent hope is that they are kept busy.

The condition of Masonry in this District is of very high calibre. The work is performed in a very friendly, sincere manner. The officers appear not only to know their work but they express it with meaning. This will be developed to even a greater degree through the efforts of the Masonic Officers' Association of the District under the leadership of Wor. Bro. Gord. Mallion, of Tottenham.

I wish to express my gratitude to all those brethren who willingly assisted me in every way possible. From the greet-

ings and courtesies I received, I know Grand Lodge is revered and honoured in Georgian District.

GEORGE G. CALDWELL, D.D.G.M.

### GREY DISTRICT

To have been District Deputy Grand Master for Grey District during the past year has been a wonderful experience. My year of office has been made pleasant by the sincere co-operation and sympathetic understanding of the Lodges in the District and the cordial and gracious reception accorded me on my official visit to each of the twelve Lodges was most gratifying. Due respect was paid the Grand Master and all Grand Lodge Officers on each visit. The work was carried out according to the ritual, as closely as was humanly possible.

I appointed Wor. Bro. Wm. G. Ellison, District Secretary, Bro. Rev. A. H. Harrison, District Chaplain, and Bro. W. W. Graham, Supervisor of Masonic Education. These brethren were in attendance at most of my visits and I thank them for the support given me, especially the District Secretary, as he has given me every assistance possible and reports that the Lodges in the District are in good condition financially and that the books are kept in a very efficient manner. I was pleased to note that talks were being given on Masonic Education, but too often by Past Masters and not by Master Masons or others.

On my official visit to North Star Lodge, Owen Sound, I presented Bro. H. C. Irwin with his Veteran's Jubilee Medal in appreciation of fifty years' service to the Craft.

Hiram Lodge, No. 490, Markdale, celebrated its Fiftieth Anniversary in November. The guest speaker was Rt. Wor. Bro. H. A. McCauley, and during the evening my own Lodge presented me with a Masonic Bible, which was much appreciated. In March, when on my official visit to Hiram Lodge, No. 490, I was privileged to take part in the initiation of my grandson, Lee Bradey. His father, Wor. Bro. J. E. Bradey, presided for the initiation, at which ceremony three generations of the Bradey family took part.

A goodly number of blood donors have been registered throughout the district as a walking Blood Bank to be on call by the various hospitals in the districts.

At a banquet in Walkerton, Bruce District, which was held in honour of the M.W. The Grand Master, Bro. Harry L. Martyn, who was the chief speaker of the evening, I was privileged to reply to the toast to "the Visitors".

A District Divine Service was held in Durham Anglican Church on June 7th, with a good attendance at which the

District Chaplain was assisted by Rt. Wor. Bro. Rev. W. M. Lee, of Alliston, who delivered a very impressive sermon.

I wish to thank the Grand Master and my brethren for the wonderful honour they have bestowed on me, and I hope, from a very humble and thankful heart, that I have contributed to the well-being and advancement of our beloved Fraternity.

RAN BRADEY, D.D.G.M.

### HAMILTON DISTRICT "A"

It has been indeed a pleasure to serve as D.D.G.M. for the past year. The warm welcome and loyal support given me by every Lodge in the District certainly show that the Grand Master and Grand Lodge are held in high esteem by the brethren.

Wor. Bro. W. J. B. Kay, the District Secretary, accompanied me on all of my official visits. On examination of the books of the various Secretaries and Treasurers of the Lodges, he highly commended them on the efficient manner in which the books were kept.

Masonic Education, under the leadership of Rt. Wor. Bro. W. L. Somerville and his committee, held three successful educational meetings during the year. Each degree was discussed. We were fortunate to have Rt. Wor. Bro. B. B. Foster, Chairman of Masonic Education, with us at one of our meetings. These meetings were well attended and were very interesting. I would like to suggest that possibly more help might be given to each individual Lodge by the Supervisor of Masonic Education or one of his committee to give the Lodge guidance on their individual meetings on Masonic Education.

Wor. Bro. Rev. H. G. Lowry, District Chaplain, was able to be with me on several of my visits. Many Divine Services were held and attendance at these was fair, but certainly could stand a great deal of improvement. Burlington Lodge, No. 165, had the pleasure of having Rt. Wor. Bro. the Rev. Skinner, Grand Chaplain, as the guest speaker at their regular meeting in May.

Mrs. Wright and I attended a great many At Homes and quite frequently we had the pleasure of having the company of Rt. Wor. Bro. Kemp and his wife from Hamilton "B". At one of these Ladies' Nights, I noticed two tables with just ladies. On inquiry, I was told they were widows of deceased brethren who each year received a complimentary ticket. This, I thought, was certainly a nice gesture on the part of the Lodge.

A great many fraternal visits are exchanged between American and Canadian lodges. I had the pleasure of attend-

ing some of these, and they seem to be very popular with the brethren.

Several Fifty Year Medals were presented to brethren during the year, and to these men we certainly owe a debt of gratitude for their long association in Masonry.

The Masters and Wardens and Past Masters have very active organizations in Hamilton Districts "A" and "B". Eligible members for both of these organizations should give them their full support.

The work in each of the nineteen Lodges was conducted in a very capable manner. I noticed a great many doing work besides officers and Past Masters, which is very good for Masonry. Attendance at our meetings could certainly be increased, and Masters should do their best to see that the brethren are out of the banquet room shortly after 11 o'clock.

I cannot help but mention here that the member or members responsible for starting a brother on the climb to the Master's chair should use great care in selecting the candidate and should keep foremost in his or their own mind that some day that junior officer may be Wor. Master of the lodge.

D. K. WRIGHT, D.D.G.M.

### HAMILTON DISTRICT "B"

Masonry in Hamilton District "B" has had another successful year with keen interest being shown by officers and members of all the Lodges with a slight increase in attendance as compared with previous years, which speaks well for the future.

I visited officially on behalf of the Grand Master, all 20 Lodges comprising this District and I have witnessed the degree work of the various officers with much satisfaction. The exemplification of the work has been carried out with the sincerity and dignity that makes our ritual most impressive and I cannot but feel that the various candidates have been greatly impressed.

I have found that Masonic Education is carried on in all the lodges in one form or another and the Committees on Masonic Education are making a worth-while effort to increase the interest in this most important work.

There were two Divine Services held during the year by the combined Hamilton Districts under the auspices of the Masters' and Wardens' Associations; also many Lodges have held their own Services. However, it is regrettable that these meetings were not more largely attended as unfortunately this reflects adversely on our fraternity.

There have been several outstanding events in the District during the past year:

On Friday, October 10th, Most. Wor. Bro. T. H. Simpson, representing the Most. Wor. Grand Master, presided at the Ceremony of Constituting and Consecrating the new Lodge in our District — The Thomas Hamilton Simpson Lodge, No. 692, which was largely attended by Present and Past Grand Lodge Officers and I am sure that this impressive ceremony will live long in the memories of all those fortunate enough to be present.

On Thursday, October 30th, assisted by a number of Grand Lodge Officers, I installed the first officers of that Lodge and one can already see a great future for this new Lodge which bears the name of one of our most distinguished brethren.

At the regular meeting in November of St. Andrew's Lodge, No. 62, Caledonia, while paying my official visit, I presented to Very Wor. Bro. Harrison Arreil, Q.C., his 60 Year Pin and congratulated him also on being the oldest active Crown Attorney in Ontario.

At the regular meeting of Acacia Lodge, No. 61, on January 9th last, Most. Wor. Bro. T. Hamilton Simpson had the great honour of installing his son as Worshipful Master and the large attendance at that meeting was a great tribute to him. Again, on my official visit to the same Lodge on February 13th, I had the pleasure of presenting to Brother W. F. Johnson his Fifty Year Medal. These brethren who have been so honoured are to be warmly congratulated.

The social side of Masonry has been well taken care of at the various Lodge Ladies' Nights or At-Homes and both Mrs. Kemp and I have received many kindnesses and courtesies, not only from the Lodges in my own District but also from many in Hamilton "A" District, where it has been my privilege to fraternize with Rt. Wor. Bro. Donald Wright of that District.

I would like to gratefully acknowledge the assistance so readily given me by the District Officers which I appointed, and the many kindnesses from the Past Masters' Association and the Masters' and Wardens' Association.

This has been a most memorable year to me and I sincerely appreciate the opportunity of serving in this capacity.

STEPHEN G. K. KEMP, D.D.G.M.

## LONDON DISTRICT

As an introductory remark I venture the following: The great thing that links brethren together in Masonry is the fact that we are all builders. "For we are labourers together

with God: Ye are God's husbandry, Ye are God's building." I Corinthians, 3-9.

The materials with which we labour are constituent elements of every human being, and our purpose is to know how to use the materials to construct temples of the mind and soul, which will be pleasing to the eyes of the Great Architect. For this work certain essentials are preliminary to success. We must have faith in each other, confidence in the success of our efforts as long as they are rightly directed.

It is the hope that the following humble essay may serve in some slight degree to place before you the condition of Masonry in London District. Whatever I may say on the subject will naturally be incomplete.

Inspired by the enthusiasm and devotion displayed by my predecessors, the brethren have captured a new sense of loyalty and purpose, which is evidenced throughout every department of the work.

The care, protection and maintenance of our Masonic Temples, lodge rooms, furniture and jewels occupy a prominent place in the consideration of the Worshipful Masters and brethren, and is reflected in the continuing improvements being made throughout the District.

The interest and enthusiasm of the brethren, particularly our new brethren is being encouraged through careful and well planned meetings in general, and the high quality of ritualistic work in particular, bringing credit to the Worshipful Masters, and officers, who at all times give due consideration to our regulations. It is good to note that the Worshipful Masters, in planning presentation of degrees, provide an opportunity for the Past Masters and brethren of the Lodge to share in the experience of active participation in the ceremonies. This not only actively engages the valuable talents of our Past Master but also provides an avenue of development for the brethren, some of whom may one day assume the gavel of his office.

In an effort to stimulate attendance in our Lodges, considerable attention is given to the arranging of Roll Call and Memorial Services, all members' degree teams, educational programmes of a question and answer type, with all members given an opportunity to participate, and fraternal visits among the Masonic Lodges of the District and surrounding area.

The brethren of London District are most grateful to Rt. Wor. Bro. Molson Cain who gave generously of his time and talents in presenting a most informative and stimulating District Lodge of Instruction based on the Entered Apprentice Degree.

We acknowledge with gratitude the untiring efforts of our District Educational Committee at this and many other meetings they arranged and conducted. Realizing the value of Masonic Education many of our Lodges have their own committee, and often devote a portion of their meetings to this work.

Our District Church Service was held in St. James Westminster Church; a cordial and fraternal welcome was extended to the brethren, their families and friends by our District Chaplain and Rector, Bro. the Rev. Canon H. E. Merrifield, assisted by Very Wor. Bro. Rev. Walter Kiteley, P.A.G. Chaplain, and Bro. the Rev. Cannon A. A. Trumper. The Church was well filled and a very inspiring sermon was delivered by Rt. Wor. Bro. Rev. R. S. Skinner, Grand Chaplain.

Many of our Lodges held Church Services during the year and we commend our Grand Chaplain, District Chaplain and Worshipful Masters for promoting this important aspect of Masonry.

We record, with sincere appreciation, the splendid work of the London Blood Donors' Service Committee, and those who supported this worthwhile cause. In the field of benevolence, the brethren have spread much happiness, comfort and encouragement through their many visits to our brethren, who by reason of age or illness were unable to attend their Lodge.

The evening of March 25th will long remain in the memory of the brethren who, on that occasion, had the pleasure of attending a reception in honour of our Grand Master, Most Wor. Bro. H. L. Martyn. The Grand Master's address, together with his genial personality and kindly greetings, made a lasting impression on the brethren.

In the office of District Deputy Grand Master, a number of Masons were employed. I refer to Bro. Rev. Canon H. E. Merifield, District Chaplain; Wor. Bro. Robert Cater, District Supervisor of Masonic Education; Wor. Bro. Leo Allen, District Secretary. These brethren, amid duties and responsibilities to church and office, served their Masonic office most faithfully. Their co-operation, assistance and kindnesses I shall ever remember. Their kindly manner and sterling qualities won for them our highest esteem and gratitude.

As the sands in the glass of time announce the close of my year, I again record my heartfelt thanks for the honor accorded me, and trust my stewardship has proved worthy of your confidence.

HARRY PEERS, D.D.G.M.

### MUSKOKA DISTRICT

As District Deputy Grand Master for Muskoka District my year commenced by attending the Masonic funeral of my immediate predecessor, the late Rt. Wor. Bro. Bruce

Minns. His passing to the Grand Lodge Above so shortly after relinquishing office was deeply felt by all brother Masons of this District and members of Grand Lodge. This, coupled with the decease soon thereafter of Rt. Wor. Bro. Thomas Gravette, of Golden Rule Lodge, brought sadness to a year which otherwise was very successful and stimulating.

My appointment of Wor. Bro. J. J. Hogarth as District Secretary, and Bro. Rev. N. Thomas as District Chaplain proved very popular and they were of great assistance to me. I officially visited all eight Lodges in the District and W. Bro. Hogarth made a careful check of the records of each and found all to be in good order and the Lodges to be in good financial standing. My visits were all well attended and I took every opportunity to speak on different phases of the practical application of Masonry. The general condition of Masonry in this District is good and the officers are well versed in their work. It was felt, however, that some improvement in the general average attendance in some Lodges could be encouraged and that a Lodge of Instruction might be suggested.

The highlight of my year came with the reception of the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, H. L. Martyn, and the Dedication by him of the New Temple of Muskoka Lodge, No. 360, on May 23rd. This Lodge is to be highly complimented on their fine building and the efforts of its members which have gone into its construction.

The Past Masters' and Wardens' Association were fortunate to have Rt. Wor. Bro. Rev. R. S. Skinner, Grand Chaplain, attend a banquet; his address was interesting and informative. This Association gained much encouragement and a new outlook from this meeting.

I am pleased to report the presentation of the Fifty Year Medal to Rt. Wor. Bro. W. R. Dixon, of Algonquin Lodge, who is a very deserving Mason.

The District Church Service was held on June 21st at St. James' United Church, Parry Sound, at which time the District Chaplain conducted the Service.

In conclusion, I wish to thank the many Masons in this District who have done so much towards making my year of office so very pleasant as well as contributing towards the well-being and advancement of Masonry.

F. C. POWELL, D.D.G.M.

## NIAGARA DISTRICT "A"

It is with pleasure that I submit my report on my work during 1958 and 1959 for Niagara District "A".

During my term of office, I have paid an official visit of inspection to each of the fourteen Lodges in this District.

On all but two occasions degrees were conferred, all three being observed during the term. I have also unofficially visited all Lodges, often being invited to attend special events — Past Masters — Charter Members — Visiting Lodges, etc. Of special interest was the evening of Sept. 9th when St. George's Lodge, No. 15, honoured two members, the Grand Wardens — R.W. Bro. E. L. James and R.W. Bro. J. B. Sainsbury.

I arranged for fourteen Past Grand Lodge Officers to assist M.W. Bro. W. J. Dunlop to institute Grantham Lodge at Port Dalhousie on Sept. 29th. The officers and members are most enthusiastic; the Lodge is flourishing and hopeful of being granted a Warrant at the next Annual Communication of Grand Lodge.

Of particular interest to me, as a member of Maple Leaf, No. 103, was that Lodge's Centennial Dinner and meeting on October 17th. Many visitors shared in enjoying a fine address by R.W. E. C. McCullagh, Past Grand Chaplain.

The highlight of my year was the visit of the Grand Master to Niagara Districts 'A' and 'B', on Jan. 12th. M.W. Bro. Martyn gave a most interesting address and we were privileged to welcome many other Grand Lodge Officers.

It has been gratifying to note that the trend to smaller lodge attendance seems to have been checked. I firmly believe this can be accomplished by using Masonic Education to re-awaken interest in our ritual and philosophy. W. Bro. W. W. MacDonald, District Supervisor of Masonic Education, has completed a most constructive year and the Masters' and Wardens' Association is to be complimented for securing R.W. Bro. M. Cain on two occasions to exemplify and explain our ritual and teachings.

All Lodges have attended Divine Services, that for the St. Catharines Lodges being observed as a District Service. An increase in attendance has led me to hope that I have had some success in my aim to emphasize that Masonry is not a substitute for the established Church and that all Masons should be good churchmen. Bro. Rev. J. Newman served well as District Chaplain.

I am most grateful for the many kindnesses and courtesies shown to me, particularly those shared with my wife, the District Secretary, W. Bro. H. W. Ballantyne and Mrs. Ballantyne. All Lodges held Ladies' Nights and we were honoured guests on all occasions. We have also enjoyed many unofficial events with the Masons of the District and their ladies.

Masonry continues to flourish in Niagara "A". Membership continues to increase; attendance improves; the work is of high calibre; arrears of dues are, generally speaking, reasonable, and most lodge rooms are in good condition. I trust

that I have contributed, in some small way to this happy condition and that my work has merited the approval of Grand Lodge and my brethren of Niagara "A". If I have been successful in the discharge of my duties, it is largely due to the assistance and support of Past Grand Lodge Officers, the Masters and particularly the District Secretary, W. Bro. Ballantyne, who has been a tower of strength during a most strenuous but truly rewarding year.

A. W. RUSSELL, D.D.G.M.

### NIAGARA DISTRICT "B"

To have served as D.D.G.M. for the year 1958-59 has been one of great satisfaction and a sincere pleasure. The cordial and gracious reception which I have received from the fourteen Lodges in this District has been an inspiration and a revelation of the great esteem and loyalty the brethren have for the Grand Master and the Grand Lodge.

I appointed Wor. Bro. Cecil N. Lundy as District Secretary, Bro. Rev. John Kitchen as District Chaplain, and V. Wor. Bro. Wm. Dimond as District Supervisor of Masonic Education. I am deeply indebted to these brethren for their loyalty and support by their attendance with me on all my official and unofficial visits which I paid to all Lodges in this District. I wish to commend all the Lodge Secretaries in the District upon the fine manner in which the District Secretary found their minutes and records.

Many of the Lodges held their Annual Ladies' Night which my wife and I, accompanied by the District Secretary and his wife, had the pleasure of attending these enjoyable events.

The brethren of Niagara "B" and I joined with Rt. Wor. Bro. A. Russell, D.D.G.M. and the brethren of Niagara "A" at a dinner and reception in honor of the Most Worshipful, the Grand Master, which was held in St. Catharines in February of this year. The evening will be long remembered by the brethren of both Niagara 'A' and 'B' for the inspiring address of the Grand Master.

The Masters' and Wardens' Association have had another successful year, with the holding of two largely attended meetings, one in Fort Erie and the other in Welland. These meetings were highlighted by an outstanding address on Masonic Education.

It is encouraging to note the continuing increasing interest which is being shown by the younger members in Masonic Education. While all the Lodges in the District have set up Masonic Education Committees, my District Supervisor of Education has been very pleased to have been given the opportunity by the Masters of all the Lodges on each of my

visits, to address a few remarks to the brethren in general and to the Masonic Education Committees in particular.

The increasing number of brethren attending the Annual Church Services of the various Lodges is most gratifying. The District Service was held in Lundy's Lane United Church, Niagara Falls, on May 17th. Bro. Rev. John Kitchen, District Chaplain, arranged the Service and delivered the sermon. He was assisted by Rev. V. Fiddes, Minster of the Church. The nearly two hundred Masons of this District who attended this service, along with myself, are particularly grateful to the members of the St. Catharines Masonic Choir who assisted in the musical portion of the Service.

In conclusion, I am pleased to report that Masonry in Niagara District "B" is in very good condition. On all my official as well as the many unofficial visits which I have paid to each of the Lodges, I have found the affairs and business of each Lodge being conducted in a very commendable manner. The conferring of the degrees are being carried out in an excellent manner, observing a strict adherence to our Ancient Landmarks and Constitution at all times.

It has been a privilege for me to have served the brethren and I would like to express my sincere appreciation for the grand co-operation which I received during the past year, which I shall always cherish as I continue in my efforts to serve Freemasonry to the best of my ability.

H. HIGGINS, D.D.G.M.

### NIPISSING EAST DISTRICT

As another Masonic year draws to a close, it is gratifying to be able to report that Freemasonry is in very good hands in this District.

Each of the eight Lodges were officially visited, and I was indebted to, and grateful for, the company of my District Secretary, District Chaplain, and the Immediate Past Master of my own Lodge, on all of my inspections.

My reception at each Lodge was most friendly, and I found little to criticize in the performance of the work. It was indeed a good sign to see so many junior officers taking an active part in the rendering of the work of the degrees. It reflects credit on the senior officers and Past Masters for their interest in maintaining the high standard of performance.

Masonic Education is progressing slowly but thoroughly, and I have tried to point out, at each inspection, how very necessary it is to the present and future well-being of our Craft, that the brethren be well versed in the esoteric, and also in the traditional and historic work of the Craft.

My District Secretary reports all Lodges to be in reasonably good condition financially. Insurance is carried on all properties, and it was suggested to several Masters to bring the matter of fire insurance before their Committee of General Purposes, with a view to making possible revisions.

Life memberships could be a cause of financial concern in the near future for some Lodges, and the Masters have been asked to take early action to give this matter the fullest consideration.

One of our smaller Lodges in the Matachewan mining area is worthy of a special word of commendation. Mining in this area has suffered somewhat of a depression, and as a result a number of brethren have been compelled to depart from this area to seek employment elsewhere. The remaining brethren, although widely scattered, are very faithful in attending Lodge and in promoting the Craft's welfare. Winter conditions can be very severe in this section, but it has to be outstanding to keep the members away from their Lodge.

All Lodges are preparing for their Annual Divine Services, and previous years' records show that these services are reasonably well attended.

Several fraternal visits between Lodges were exchanged, and these foster excellent relations and are thoroughly enjoyed.

Several Lodges have held, or propose to hold a "Ladies' Night" before the end of their present year.

One of the pleasantest evenings in the year was March 31st, when we had the honour and privilege of receiving our Grand Master, Most Worshipful Brother Harry L. Martyn. All Lodges in the District were well represented, and many distinguished brethren from our sister Districts were in attendance. It was a great pleasure for me to be able to conduct our Grand Master on a short tour of the Tri-Town area of Cobalt-Haileybury-New Liskeard, during the afternoon.

In the evening, our Grand Master was entertained at a dinner in the auditorium of the United Church in New Liskeard, and after the customary toasts our Grand Master spoke to the brethren in an address that will be long remembered.

It has been a great pleasure, a profound honour and a distinct privilege to have served as District Deputy Grand Master, and I wish to thank again all those brethren in the Lodges in this District, without whose help, co-operation and friendship, very little could have been accomplished.

RICHARD H. IRWIN, D.D.G.M.

## NIPISSING WEST DISTRICT

It has been a great honour and privilege to have served Nipissing West District in the eventful year of 1958-59. On Sept. 20th, 1958, it was my pleasure to assist Most Wor. Bro. W. L. Wright in the ceremonies of Constitution and Consecration of Friendship Lodge, No. 691, at Copper Cliff. Later that evening I installed the Master and officers. The week of February 8th was an eventful one for our District. On Wednesday, February 11th, I instituted Elliott Lake Lodge in their temporary quarters in Blind River, and on Friday, the 13th, of the same week, Bethel Lodge at Sudbury. Thus, Nipissing West District has contributed two new Lodges to our Grand Jurisdiction, and has had one receive its Warrant in this Masonic year.

Espanola Lodge, No. 527, has new lodge premises and is looking forward to the Dedication in the fall. Two other Lodges are contemplating building or buying new "homes".

Each of our 17 Lodges is very busy with candidates; perform their functions from well to excellently and the District Secretary reports they are all in sound financial condition. I can truthfully requote the words of Most Wor. Bro. W. J. Droke, when commenting on Nipissing West District in 1924, and I quote: "Masonry in Northern Ontario is strong, virile, serious and expansive."

Our District was honoured by the election of Rt. Wor. Bro. J. B. Sainsbury, of Keystone Lodge, No. 412, as Grand Junior Warden. Although he had many commitments throughout the Grand Jurisdiction, he found time to attend all the important functions of the District. We were also pleased with the appointments of Wor. Bro. Alan Y. Broughton, of Keystone Lodge, No. 412, as the Grand Representative of the Grand Lodge of Kansas near our Grand Lodge, (succeeding his late lamented father, Rt. Wor. Bro. H. P. Broughton), and of V. Wor. Bro. W. E. W. Cressey, of Nickle Lodge, No. 427, as the Grand Representative of the Grand Lodge of Chile near our Grand Lodge.

Our Grand Master visited our District on April 1st, 1959. The three "Soo" Lodges, Keystone, No. 412, Algoma, No. 469, and Hatherly, No. 625, acted as hosts and many distinguished brethren of our far-flung District, as well as visitors from Marquette, Michigan, attended. The Grand Master's address was a masterpiece and rewarded all those present. On March 4th, the Grand Chaplain, Rt. Wor. Bro. Rev. R. S. Skinner, visited our District. My mother Lodge, Algoma, No. 469, was host to several Lodges. Again we were the recipients of a very interesting address.

Veteran Jubilee Medals were presented by me to Bros. D. H. Smith and H. R. Wood, of Algoma, No. 469, and Wor. Bro.

F. W. Baxter, an old friend, received his in Gore Bay Lodge, No. 472.

It is with deep regret that I report the death of two outstanding members, Wor. Bro. E. D. Mills, Secretary and Patriarch of Dyment Lodge, No. 442, last October, and Wor. Bro. Edward G. (Ted) Perry, Master of Sudbury Lodge, No. 658, after only three months in office.

Most of the Lodges reported that their efforts in Masonic Education fell short of their aims due to the press of degree work. With this preconceived thought in my mind I planned and delivered an address on Masonic Education to each Lodge in the District.

My appointments were as follows: Wor. Bro. J. S. Ferguson, District Secretary; Rt. Wor. Bro. Canon F. W. Colleton, District Chaplain, and V. W. Bro. J. R. Watt, District Supervisor of Masonic Education. These brethren acted as a wonderful assisting team, accompanying me whenever possible.

My heartfelt thanks go to all those who, in so many ways, made my year easier for me and of more value to the District, in particular the District Secretary and my predecessor, Rt. Wor. Bro. L. L. W. Ashcroft.

FRANK H. PEARSE, D.D.G.M.

## NORTH HURON DISTRICT

Fulfilling the office of District Deputy Grand Master in North Huron District for the past year has been an extremely pleasant and enriching experience for me. The cordial and gracious reception accorded me in the twelve Lodges impressed upon me their loyalty to the Grand Master and Grand Lodge.

I appointed Wor. Bro. George H. Gibson, District Secretary; Rt. Wor. Bro. Adam Dodds, Chairman of Masonic Education, and Bro. Rev. Harold T. West, District Chaplain.

An official visit was paid to each of the twelve Lodges. Practically every officer was sincere and earnest and showed good ability in handling the work. I am happy to report that Masonry is in a healthy state throughout the District.

The District Secretary reports that the records of the Secretaries are in excellent condition. The financial affairs of ten Lodges in this District are in a satisfactory condition, while the remaining two are taking steps to revise their by-laws in regards to dues and fees.

The Masonic Education programme was under the capable direction of Rt. Wor. Bro. Adam Dodds, but, due to illness early in the year, he was unable to carry out the

programme. However, Masonic Education is receiving increased attention in many of the Lodges.

The District Reception to honour Most Wor. Bro. Harry L. Martyn was held at Knox Church Activity Centre in Kincardine on October 17th, in conjunction with the Centennial Celebration of Northern Light Lodge, No. 93, (the first Lodge in the District to attain its 100th anniversary). The Grand Master gave a very inspiring and impressive address to the 240 Masons who attended. Rt. Wor. Bro. E. L. James, Grand Senior Warden, also honoured us with his presence.

During the year I have had the privilege of exchanging visits with Rt. Wor. Bro. P. S. MacKenzie, D.D.G.M. of Bruce District. On one of these visits the Masons of Bruce District held a reception and banquet in honour of Most Wor. Bro. Harry L. Martyn.

The Past Masters' and Wardens' Association of this District is doing excellent work and is filling an important place in Masonry.

The Annual Divine Service of the District was held on June 14th at Wroxeter United Church. Bro. Rev. Harold T. West, District Chaplain, arranged the Service and delivered the sermon. He was assisted by Rev. Ewart Clarke, of the local charge. Approximately 120 brethren from the District attended. Many of the Lodges have held their individual Services while the remainder have set theirs for a later date.

W. L. DOUGLAS, D.D.G.M.

## ONTARIO DISTRICT

At the very beginning of my official duties I was able to persuade Wor. Bro. Thos. J. Cuthbert to act as my District Secretary. He has been a tower of strength in promoting the spirit of Masonry throughout the District, as well as a very helpful and efficient Secretary. I was equally fortunate in inducing R.W. Bro. Rev. P. N. Knight to act as District Chaplain. His ready wit and willingness to speak of the duties of a Mason in respect to his Lodge and also regarding his responsibilities as a man, made him very popular throughout the District. R.W. Bro. Knight conducted the District Church Service at Coborne in a manner which caused many favorable comments from the brethren present. As Chairman of Masonic Education, I was successful in securing the services of Wor. Bro. T. F. Graydon, a man whose interest in Masonic Education and in the proper discharge of the duties of all those assisting in degree work is not surpassed in the District.

This District for some years past has commenced the work after the summer recess with a District Masters' Night at St. John's Lodge, Cobourg, with the newly appointed

D.D.G.M. in the chair for the degree work. It is a wonderful opportunity for the Masters to get acquainted with each other and to appraise the knowledge their D.D.G.M. has of the work.

An evening, never to be forgotten, was the Constituting and Consecrating of Parkwood Lodge, No. 695, in Oshawa. The M.W. the Grand Master, presided at the ceremonies, and his address in reply to the toast to Grand Lodge gave the large number of Masons who attended reason to be proud of the man who was their head and of the organization to which they belonged.

I presented three Fifty Year Veteran Jubilee Medals to brethren of Colborne Lodge and also one to Wor. Bro. Fred Marsh, of Composite Lodge, the latter being presented on behalf of the Grand Lodge of Quebec. At my official visit to Cedar Lodge, Oshawa, I was honoured by being asked to present the William Mercer Wilson Medal to Bro. W. R. Johnson. The citation prepared by his brethren fully explained why the Committee in charge of awarding this medal granted the request.

During the year I visited each Lodge twice, once in a fraternal visit to become better acquainted with the officers and brethren, and then for the official inspection. I was received with dignity and honor on all occasions. The officers and brethren, who assisted with the work, proved to us that they knew their work, not only letter perfect, but also the spirit and meaning of what they were conferring upon the different candidates.

I would like to refer at this time to the work of a Wardens' Group. These men meet under the leadership of P.D.D.G.M. Jas. Jackson, and I am sure that the discussions they have and the instructions they receive have a great deal to do with the uniformity of the work throughout the District.

My Secretary reports that the finances of each Lodge are in excellent condition; that there is a minimum of arrears of dues. One Lodge reported that it had no arrears of dues. Some Lodges are carrying sizable amounts of money looking toward the time when they might be going to build.

My Official Inspection of Fidelity Lodge, No. 428, Port Perry, was carried out in their new Temple, which was completed in time for the March meeting. Words cannot express the congratulations of the District to the brethren responsible for the erection of this excellent building which is not only a credit to the Masons of Fidelity Lodge but also to Ontario District. I am told that Wor. Bro. N. Heayn was responsible for a great deal of the leadership in this project, but I am sure he was ably assisted by the brethren. Not only did they contribute their work but also they were generous with their money, as I am given to understand that the outstanding debt is very small.

I was fortunate in meeting R.W. Bro. H. G. Hutcheson, of Fidelity Lodge. This remarkable Mason was D.D.G.M. in the year 1906-1907. He passed to the Grand Lodge Above on June 4th, 1959, but his example and conduct as a Mason will long be remembered by his brethren.

Colborne Lodge, No. 91, was recognized this year by Grand Lodge as having completed 100 years of continuous service and the brethren were given permission to wear gold braid on their regalia. Of the 14 Lodges in the District, seven have been recognized as having passed the 100 year mark and the eighth is endeavouring to prove their right to this honor as well.

Still to come, on June 25th, is a District Reception to M.W. Bro. H. L. Martyn, Grand Master. At this gathering Colborne Lodge will also be celebrating their Centennial. The banquet will be held in United Lodge, Brighton, as 100 years ago the first officers of Colborne Lodge were installed by Brighton brethren in Brighton.

I cannot conclude without expressing my deep thanks to the brethren of the District for the kindly spirit in which I was received and for the encouragement and advice which was given so freely. This meant more than they will ever realize.

LEONARD GORDON, D.D.G.M.

## OTTAWA DISTRICT

As this most exciting, satisfying and pleasant year, so full of rich and valuable experience, comes to an end, I would be remiss if I did not give every credit to those wonderful Masons who made my term of office as D.D.G.M. possible.

For the loyal support of the Past Grand Lodge Officers, whose sincere co-operation, sage advice and untiring efforts in accompanying me on my official visits throughout the District, I am deeply grateful.

To the Past Masters, Masters and brethren, whose invaluable support in assisting me in such goodly numbers on my visits, I am sincerely thankful.

I appointed Wor. Bro. John Balchin, District Secretary; Wor. Bro. John O'Donovan, District Supervisor of Education, and The Ven. Archdeacon Bro. J. C. Anderson, District Chaplain.

I paid official visits to each of the twenty-nine Lodges in the Ottawa District. There has been a steady increase in membership and the calibre of the candidates is uniformly high.

The genial District Secretary, whose capable manner in discharging his duties merited the esteem of all the brethren, carefully checked the accounts and records of all twenty-nine Lodges, and found them, without exception, in good order, and the Lodges in a sound financial condition.

The condition of Masonry in the District was never better. The work was impressively performed with dignity and a uniform correctness. The high degree of efficiency shown by the younger officers of the various Lodges was very encouraging and speaks well for the future of Masonry in the Ottawa District.

Our greatest challenge has no doubt been the stress laid on Masonic Education under the supervision of Wor. Bro. John O'Donovan. For the benefit of the country Lodges we were fortunate in having R.W. Bro. H. H. Dymond and R.W. Bro. A. Illingworth acting in an advisory capacity, and in the City, R.W. Bro. John Heisler and R.W. Bro. Douglas McQuitty. The results have been most encouraging.

The highlight of the year was the visit of Most Wor. Bro. Harry L. Martyn, Grand Master. This was a momentous occasion for Masonry in our District. The words of wisdom of the Most Worshipful Grand Master were an inspiration to all the brethren and will long be remembered.

Church Services have been well attended. A District Service was held in Ottawa where individual Lodges held services of their own. Combined and separate Lodges held services in the country. The outstanding ceremony was the Annual Memorial Service on November 11th in Ottawa when war veterans of all the Lodges paid tribute to the memories of their fallen comrades. It was a largely attended, impressive service befitting the occasion.

The Annual Masonic Ball was again a great success and is one of the outstanding social events in the Capital.

Whilst the Red Cross has taken over the Blood Bank our Blood Donors' Committee, under the chairmanship of R.W. Bro. John Heisler assisted by R.W. Bro. Dr. C. W. McIntosh, continue to urge the members to donate to this vital cause in the future as generously as they have in the past.

The unveiling of the Corner Stone and Dedication of the New Temple at Cobden were most impressive ceremonies with the Deputy Grand Master, R.W. Bro. C. M. Pitts, officiating. Assisting in the ceremony were R.W. Bro. E. G. Dixon, Grand Secretary; R.W. Bro. Geo. J. McQueen, Supervisor of Benevolence; V.W. Bro. The Rev. W. R. Alp, Assistant Grand Chaplain, and Present and Past Grand Lodge Officers.

The Past Masters', Masters' and Wardens' Association and the Senior Wardens' Association are contributing in no

small measure in promoting, by their fine example, all worthwhile endeavours to keep Masonry flourishing and advancing in the Ottawa District.

ROBERT DARBY, D.D.G.M.

### PETERBOROUGH DISTRICT

It has been a very pleasant experience serving as District Deputy Grand Master in Peterborough District for the year just ending.

On my visits to all twelve Lodges in the District, I found the work to be quite uniform and very well done. Work was observed in all degrees. I am sure that the assistance given in the various Lodges by Past Masters is a great help to the Master.

Each Lodge has a Committee on Masonic Education and on some of my visits the Committee gave talks on very interesting Masonic subjects.

The District Secretary found the financial condition of the Lodges to be satisfactory and the books in good order. Most Lodges are receiving applications from desirable applicants. The percentage of attendance at meetings appears to be higher in the rural Lodges than in the city Lodges. Taking everything into consideration, I feel that I am able to report that the condition of Masonry in this District is satisfactory.

My first official visit was to Corinthian Lodge, No. 101, Peterborough, the only 100 year Lodge in the District, and the courtesy shown me there continued in the same degree at all my visits.

A very interesting event in my year as D.D.G.M. was attending William James Dunlop Lodge, Peterborough, when P.G.M. W. J. Dunlop received his Fifty Year Medal from Peterborough Lodge, No. 155, his Mother Lodge. On this occasion M.W. Bro. Dunlop assumed the gavel for the conferring of the First Degree and the other chairs were filled by Fifty Year Masons.

On April 30th, we welcomed our esteemed Grand Master, M.W. Bro. H. L. Martyn, to Peterborough District. The arrangements for the reception and banquet were made by a committee, the chairman of which was R.W. Bro. R. F. Downey, the dean of Masonry in Peterborough District. The reception and banquet were held in the Masonic Temple, Peterborough, and the large number of brethren present listened to an inspiring address delivered by the Most Worshipful Grand Master. He informed the brethren that it had been his privilege, with members of the reception committee, to present a Fifty Year Medal to a brother Mason in Peterborough Civic Hospital that afternoon.

The Past Masters', Masters' and Wardens' Association meeting held on May 21st was very interesting. The Masters reported regarding the attendance and work being done in their Lodges. The after lunch speaker was Bro. Rev. Dr. H. Hutchison who gave a very instructive talk on Masonry.

Some of the Lodges held Divine Services during the year, and on June 7th a District Divine Service was held in St. John's Anglican Church, Peterborough. The attendance was average. District Chaplain, Bro. E. J. MacDonald and R.W. Bro. R. F. Downey took part in the Service.

To the District Officers and Masters I am grateful for the help and courtesy given me on my official visits.

WALTER BITTEN, D.D.G.M.

### PRINCE EDWARD DISTRICT

Fulfilling the office of D.D.G.M. has been a very pleasant experience and one never to be forgotten. The responsibilities which the office entails have been lessened by the co-operation and efficiency of the District Officers, Wor. Bro. Morley Davidson, District Secretary; Wor. Bro. James Mastine, District Chaplain, and Bro. James Ritchie, Supervisor of Masonic Education. The District Secretary and District Chaplain attended every Official Visit and should be commended most highly for the efficient way they carried out their respective duties. Wor. Bro. Ritchie supervised the work of the Committee on Masonic Education in a very satisfactory manner.

I was able to make Official Visits to sixteen of the seventeen Lodges. Due to my illness, Rt. Wor. Bro. J. E. Cleminson very kindly substituted for me on one occasion. I am deeply indebted to him for his assistance.

The reception at all Lodges was warm and generous. The work, in all cases, was well exemplified, the business being carried out in an efficient manner. The District Secretary reports that the records of the Secretaries are in excellent condition. We were pleased to note the interest taken in lodge properties. One Lodge has its Temple completed and held its first meeting in the new premises in December; they expect the building to be dedicated later this year. Two other Lodges are in the planning stages and hope to start building shortly. Several other Lodges have extensive renovation programs.

I was privileged to be present at the presentation of two Veteran Jubilee Medals, one to Wor. Bro. C. E. Argue, Craig Lodge, Deseronto, the other to Wor. Bro. Harry W. Ackerman, Eureka Lodge, Belleville, the latter being on the occasion of his 90th birthday.

The Committee on Masonic Education carried on this very important work satisfactorily. They stressed short five minute talks at all regular meetings and it was most gratifying, when the reports came in from the individual Lodges, to see the number of meetings where this suggestion had been carried out.

Many special evenings were held throughout the District during the year, among which were several Ladies' Nights. The District Officers attended as many as possible. One meeting deserving special mention was sponsored by the Belleville Lodge, No. 123, at which the Secretaries of all the Lodges in the District exemplified a degree. Rt. Wor. Bro. George J. McQueen, Assistant to the Grand Secretary and Supervisor of Benevolence, was present and was the guest speaker. The District for the past number of years has held a Senior Wardens' Night and a Junior Wardens' Night and this year added a Secretaries' Night. We feel that these nights have created a very desirable effect. When a new Master is elected he is personally acquainted with all the other Masters in the District through these meetings. We are hoping that this Secretaries' Night will also become an annual event.

The Past Masters', Masters' and Wardens' Association has continued to be very active during the year, the highlight being the meeting held at United Lodge, Brighton, on Jan. 30th. The guest speaker was Rt. Wor. Bro. John R. Rumball, Q.C. This meeting was well attended and the President, Wor. Bro. K. A. McQuoid, should be congratulated on his effort. I would like to pay tribute to the Secretary-Treasurer, Rt. Wor. Bro. R. M. Gunsolus, who has been Secretary-Treasurer of this organization since its revival a few years ago. His tireless efforts on behalf of the brethren and the Association are very much appreciated by the entire District.

The most gratifying event during the Masonic year was our District Church Service held on May 10th in Belleville. The Most Wor. Bro. Archbishop W. L. Wright delivered the sermon. There were approximately 600 of our brethren in attendance, all 17 Lodges being represented. We feel that the event was a credit to Masonry. In connection with this event we wish to commend Wor. Bro. Mastine, the District Chaplain. Bro. Mastine not only attended every official visit but made many special trips to the Lodges to tell the brethren about the Church Service and also looked after all details of organization. The whole District joins me in thanking Bro. Mastine for his outstanding effort. Many of the Lodges also held individual Church Services. The District Chaplain and I were able to attend a number of these.

I wish to thank the Grand Master and my brethren for the honour they have bestowed on me and I hope, from a

very humble and thankful heart, that I have been of some small service to them during my term of office.

F. G. CREEGGAN, D.D.G.M.

### SARNIA DISTRICT

Time marches on, and another year has rolled by, so my duties as District Deputy Grand Master have come to an end, and the honour bestowed upon me will long be remembered.

I appointed Wor. Bro. Herman Briers as my District Secretary; he accompanied me on all visits. The Rev. Bro. J. P. Cooke acted as District Chaplain and supported me on all occasions, except when the duties of his church called him. Rt. Wor. Bro. Martin Burnley very capably filled the duties of Chairman of Masonic Education.

It has been my pleasure to visit each of the 21 Lodges in the District. With one exception all Lodges carried out degree work at the time of my official visit. On all occasions I was graciously received, and it was an inspiration to see the interest taken in the different Lodges by the Masters and their officers. In fact some work was so impressive I would like to have been able to select one or two teams and have them demonstrate degrees in the different Lodges, but time did not permit. I tried to impress the importance of attendance at the meetings and the necessity of keeping the Past Masters interested in their Lodge. I am sorry to report that there didn't seem to be too much interest taken in Masonic Education in the District.

I visited Lodges in the neighbouring districts, and also had the pleasure of crossing the border to Michigan with one of the Lodges in my District where they exemplified the Third Degree. At a later date the brethren from Michigan exemplified a degree for us and it proved an enjoyable and profitable exchange.

The highlight of the year was with my Mother Lodge, Cassia, No. 116. We have just completed building a new Temple, and the first meeting to be held in it was on the occasion of my official visit in April. There was a large attendance from the Lodges in Sarnia and neighbouring districts. We celebrated our Centennial this year also, when 250 Masons sat down to a delicious banquet served by the women's organizations of three of our churches in town. We were honoured in having three very distinguished brethren as our guests that evening, Rt. Wor. Bro. Bruce Foster, Chairman of Masonic Education; Rt. Wor. Bro. Richard Skinner, Grand Chaplain, and Rt. Wor. Bro. Jack Irvine, of London, as guest speaker, who gave a fine and inspiring talk to the brethren.

A District Divine Church Service was held on May 31st in the Thedford United Church, when the District Chaplain,

Rev. Bro. J. P. Cooke, delivered a fine sermon, taking for his subject "The Church and the Lodge". There was a large attendance of Masons from the different Lodges.

I will look back on this year with pleasant memories of all the friends and acquaintances I have made, and I hope, from a very humble heart, that I have been of some small service to them.

J. C. WALDEN, D.D.G.M.

## SOUTH HURON DISTRICT

To serve the Grand Master in South Huron District has been an inspiring experience for me, as well as a distinct privilege and honour. Bro. Alexander Campbell, Presbyterian Minister in St. Marys faithfully served the District as District Chaplain, and Wor. Bro. Herbert Sparling as District Secretary. These two brethren are both members of St. James Lodge, No. 73.

I officially visited each of seventeen Lodges in the District and find the Lodges in good condition. Ten of the seventeen Lodges own their buildigs. I have found the work in the three degrees impressive and a credit to the Craft. The officers of the respective Lodges shared well in the work. I find some variations in the work of the Second Degree throughout the District, also considerable misuse of the S. of F. With the co-operation of the District Educational Committee and the District Past Masters' Association, along with much appreciated efforts of Rt. Wor. Bro. M. C. Cain and his degree team, we were able to establish the work in the manner prescribed by Grand Lodge. We find that the educational guidance and pamphlets by Rt. Wor. Bro. Bruce Foster are coming to the fore in our respective Lodges.

St. James Lodge, No. 73, celebrated 100 years of continued Masonry. We were most fortunate in having with us for this occasion Rt. Wor. Bro. C. M. Pitts, of Ottawa, our Deputy Grand Master. Our District was most privileged in having as our guest speaker for the Spring Meeting of our District Past Masters' Association our Grand Master, Most Worshipful Bro. Harry L. Martyn. Our District was honoured by fraternal visits from Most Wor. Bro. Dunlop, Rt. Wor. Bro. M. C. Cain, and Rt. Wor. Bro. J. A. Irvine.

Our District was saddened by the death of Rt. Wor. Bro. Karl Staffen, of Elma Lodge, Monkton, who was D.D.G.M. in 1943.

We are holding District Divine Service in the First Presbyterian Church, St. Marys, on Sunday evening, June 21st, with our District Chaplain, Bro. Rev. A. K. Campbell, in charge of the Service.

Wor. Bro. Tamman, of Lebanon Forest Lodge, Exeter, received his Fifty Year Medal. Five brethren of St. James Lodge, No. 73, St. Marys, are to receive Fifty Year Medals on June 29th, namely: Rt. Wor. Bro. Chas. E. Richardson, Bro. Fred Y. Lofft, Bro. William E. Andrews, Bro. William Dickson and Bro. Alfred Houlgate.

In conclusion, I wish to thank the Wor. Masters, the Secretaries, and all the brethren of the 17 Lodges of South Huron District for their faithful support and co-operation in the fellowship and brotherhood of Masonry.

DAVID C. WHITE, D.D.G.M.

### ST. LAWRENCE DISTRICT

The privilege of serving as D.D.G.M. for St. Lawrence District has been a wonderful experience for me, and I express my appreciation to the Masons of the District for the honour bestowed on me.

I appointed Wor. Bro. W. J. Jelly as District Secretary, and Bro. Rev. Canon E. N. Grant as District Chaplain. These two brethren gave me splendid support during the year. They were most devoted to their duties and both accompanied me on all my Official Visits. If I might be allowed to make an observation, as our District Secretaries are remembered for their contribution to Masonry, would it not be fitting to have our District Chaplains remembered in some little way by Grand Lodge?

On my Official Visits to the nineteen Lodges, I was impressed by the friendly and enthusiastic reception accorded me in every Lodge, which clearly indicates the high regard Masons of St. Lawrence District have for the Grand Master and Grand Lodge. I also found that the Lodges were all headed by very capable Wor. Masters and officers, and the work exemplified was very satisfactory indeed. In short, after making my visits, my observation would be that Masonry is in a healthy condition in St. Lawrence District.

One of the highlights of the year was the Centennial Anniversary of Central Lodge, No. 110, Prescott. This was observed by a Divine Service, and also a banquet which five hundred Masons and wives attended, and was held on April 10th, at which our Deputy Grand Master, Rt. Wor. Bro. C. M. Pitts, gave a most inspiring address.

I am very sorry to report that on May 9th, 1959, one of our oldest Lodges, Merrickville, No. 55, had the misfortune to lose their lodge room, furniture and records by fire. A conflagration such as this is a serious blow to any Lodge and I am sure that Merrickville, No. 55, has the heartfelt sympathy of all other Lodges in the District.

Our Past Masters' and Wardens' Association is very active in this District, having had splendid attendance at every meeting. It is an excellent means of fraternization and many topics of district interest are thoroughly discussed.

During the year I visited our neighbouring Districts, each on one occasion, the Ottawa District on the Grand Master's Visits, the Eastern District at the dedication of the new Temple of Excelsior Lodge, No. 142, Morrisburg, and the Frontenac District on the Official Visit of Rt. Wor. Bro. T. H. Stone to Rideau Lodge, No. 460, Seeley's Bay. I thoroughly enjoyed fraternizing with the Masons of neighbouring districts on these occasions.

Our Annual District Church Service was held in St. John's Anglican Church in Prescott on May 31st, our District Chaplain being in charge of the Service. It was well attended by some two hundred and fifty Masons from all Lodges throughout the District.

In conclusion, let me once more thank every Mason in St. Lawrence District for their splendid support throughout the year. It has been an enriching experience for me, and in the years to come I shall remember it as the highlight of my Masonic career.

C. HAROLD RALPH, D.D.G.M.

### ST. THOMAS DISTRICT

To have served as District Deputy Grand Master of St. Thomas District has been a wonderful experience and my year has passed so quickly that I now wonder if I have fulfilled the position as well as I possibly could.

Early in September I appointed the following to assist me in my duties: Wor. Bro. Leon Bodkin, as Secretary; Bro. John Gray as Chaplain, and Rt. Wor. Bro. B. C. Damude as Supervisor of Masonic Education.

I am deeply indebted to these brethren for the support given throughout the year. The District Secretary reports that the eleven Lodges are in good financial condition and all books and records are kept in a very capable manner.

I had the pleasure of visiting Wallaceburg on the occasion of the Constituting and Consecrating of Baldoon Lodge and the Dedication of the New Temple, on which occasion the Grand Master presided.

Another pleasant function was the occasion when London District received the Grand Master with members of the surrounding Districts in attendance.

Masonic education is being constantly brought before all Lodges in the District and Rt. Wor. Bro. Damude, Super-

visor, has delivered three addresses during the year which were well received.

On my official visits to the various Lodges, degrees were conferred, with the exception of one, and the work was done in a capable manner. The Lodge where no work was available, opened and closed in three degrees in a satisfactory manner.

The official visit to my Mother Lodge was a night I will long remember. Every Lodge in the District was represented and visitors were present from many Lodges in the surrounding areas.

On May 24th the Annual Church Service was held at the Trinity Anglican Church in St. Thomas. Some 300 Masons were in attendance and an inspiring sermon was given by Bro. M. Griffin. A social hour was held in the basement of the Church when Rt. Wor. Bro. J. A. Irvine addressed the brethren. This occasion was quite appropriate to end my official functions of office.

Most Lodges in the District held Ladies' Night and Mrs. Freeman and I had the pleasure of attending most of these functions where it gave a further opportunity of associating with the brethren and their wives.

This District enjoys an active Past Masters' and Wardens' Association and I feel this association is performing an important function in Masonry. Meetings are well attended and valuable information is derived from the meetings.

In closing, may I express my appreciation to you, Most Wor. Sir in confirming my appointment. I feel that I have contributed something to both my District and Masonry in general during the year in this high office.

H. K. FREEMAN, D.D.G.M.

## TEMISKAMING DISTRICT

In carrying out my duties as D.D.G.M. I have, during the past year, officially visited all the Lodges in Temiskaming District once. Other visits were paid when opportunity offered.

I found the Lodges were, in many cases, especially in the parts where papermaking and associated products were the principal means of employment, holding their own and in other places were making gains. On the whole Masonry is much alive in Temiskaming District.

In honor of the Grand Master and perhaps on my own behalf also I was very well received.

From the Secretary's reports I quote the following figures: Members in Temiskaming District, 1498; gains during year, 82; loses by suspension, death, and demit, 19.

The books and accounts of each Lodge were checked and approved. Balance sheets were presented for inspection, and all the Lodges seem to be in good financial standing.

A very creditable amount of benevolence is being carried out.

As you are aware, an application had to be refused for Golden Beaver Lodge. While in sympathy with the applicant I appreciated the seriousness of the case and am glad that I turned it over to Grand Lodge.

The difficulty that arose in Cochrane Lodge regarding the use of the ante room was cleared up immediately on the Wor. Master's attention being drawn thereto. It would never have occurred had he been residing in town. He resides in Smooth Rock Falls.

My District Chaplain has been of great assistance during my term of office, accompanying me on all my visits. He held a District Church Service in the northern part of the district and is to have another in the southern part at the end of May.

To my District Secretary I owe my thanks for all the work and time he has given to his office. Without him I would have had a tremendous amount of work, as Temiskaming District covers a large area.

Any way in which Grand Lodge can honour and repay these Brethren for their services will be appreciated very much.

W. I. BUTCHER, D.D.G.M.

### TORONTO DISTRICT "A-1"

I desire to render an account of my stewardship and my impressions of the condition of Masonry in Toronto District A-1.

Early in my year I appointed Wor. Bro. Clifford V. Fleury, of Victoria Lodge, as Secretary of this District. He has been zealous and loyal, and has given freely of his time and energy in carrying out the duties of his important office. I was also pleased to appoint Bro. the Rev. Terrence V. Hart, of Southgate Lodge, as District Chaplain. He has performed the duties of this office with grace and distinction.

On January 18th the Annual Divine Service for this District was held in First United Church, Port Credit. This Service, so well attended, was conducted by Bro. the Rev.

T. V. Hart, District Chaplain, and Pastor of the Church. It proved to be a happy experience, I am sure, for all brethren present.

For the significant and essential District Committee on Masonic Education, Toronto A-1 was most fortunate in the ready acceptance by Wor. Bro. Edwin A. Rowe, of General Mercer Lodge, of the office of Chairman, and by Wor. Bro. Wm. A. Stewart, of Lake Shore Lodge, of the office of Secretary. These two brethren brought to this Committee a wealth of ability and experience in this fundamentally important Masonic activity.

The efforts of our District Committee on Masonic Education were particularly noteworthy and were productive of results of great consequence.

During my term I visited each of the nineteen Lodges in this District and viewed the work and functioning of the Lodges.

Early in the year, it was my opinion that it would be eminently desirable to continue placing great emphasis on Masonic Education, and that more intensive activity in this field would result in more abundant rewards in the further expansion and dissemination of the great verities of our moral system. This aspect of Masonry was stressed in the Lodge room and during the refreshment period.

On December 29th at the Annette Street Temple, this Committee held a Lodge of Instruction on the Third Degree. The presentation showed evidence of considerable preparatory effort; the demonstrations and explanations were abundantly clear and very interesting. The measure of interest in Masonry in Toronto A-1 was shown by the excellent attendance.

On my official visits, it was quite apparent that the work throughout the District was of a very high calibre. The Worshipful Masters impressed me as able, earnest and sincere, while the other officers appeared to be imbued with the desire to act in exemplary accordance with the teachings of Masonry. One cannot help but feel that the intense and dedicated interest in the work of the Wardens' Associations by the members is now showing increasing returns for past endeavours.

I have been pleased to find in some summonses appropriate quotations of ethical import. These "words to live by" seemed to me of particular interest and appeared to be very worth while. In some summonses, too, definite information was given indicating where and when brethren seeking Masonic instruction could appear for help and guidance by competent Masonic mentors. Frequent mention, too, was made of the facilities of the Library at the Yonge Street Temple,

where any brother may find much to enrich and enlarge his Masonic knowledge.

All these signs seem to point to a better day for Masonry in A-1 because by means of Masonic Education and by such means pre-eminently can we consummate our principal and prime objective, the development, growth and transformation of the excellent candidates we are receiving into the full grandeur of our Masonic concept.

G. W. CARROW, D.D.G.M.

### TORONTO DISTRICT "A-2"

One of my first pleasant duties after assuming office was to appoint Wor. Bro. Andrew C. Gerrard as District Secretary. He has discharged his duties in a very capable manner and assures me the books of the Lodges are well kept, proceedings properly recorded, and that the Lodges are in good financial condition.

My next duty, and a pleasant one also, was to appoint Bro. Rev. Gordon Smyth as District Chaplain, an office which he fulfilled in a very capable and efficient manner. He accompanied me on many visits and was well received wherever he went.

Official visitations were made of the seventeen Lodges, (on one occasion I found it necessary, due to illness, to call on my predecessor, Rt. Wor. Bro. C. Douglas Cuthbert, to act in my stead, and of which I am deeply grateful to him for his services) and I am pleased to report that Masonry in the District is in splendid condition and that the Officers are carrying out their duties in a manner befitting to our Craft.

The District Divine Service was held on Sunday, March 1st, in Yonge St. United Church, with our own District Chaplain, Bro. Rev. Gordon Smyth, conducting the Service. This Service was well attended, not only by brethren of this District, but by brethren from other Districts also. Many Lodges also held their own Divine Services, all of which were well attended.

Under the able leadership of Wor. Bro. Hector E. Wilson, and Wor. Bro. Leslie Salisbury, Chairman and Secretary respectively of the District Committee on Masonic Education, an active Masonic Education programme was carried out during the year. Every Lodge reported having given short talks on Masonic Education on the majority of their regular Lodge meeting nights. As in previous years, two Masonic Education Nights were jointly sponsored by Districts "A-1" and "A-2" for the brethren of both Districts. The first meeting was arranged by District "A-1" and was held on December 26th. The second meeting was arranged by the

Committee of District "A-2" and was held in College Street Temple on March 31st, ably assisted by members of the Committee and members of the Wardens' Association. A large attendance was present at both meetings; (and here again, due to illness, I was deeply indebted to Rt. Wor. Bro. C. Douglas Cuthbert for acting in my stead).

I presented, on behalf of Occident Lodge, Fifty Year Medals to two of their brethren, in the persons of Bro. John Henderson and Bro. Sydney E. Curran.

The ever present problem, that of shortage of accommodation for the formation of new Lodges, is becoming increasingly evident and is one which, if Masonry is to continue to increase in the Toronto area, must be met in the very near future.

In conclusion, may I commend the fine leadership given by the various Masters and officers, and pay tribute to the various Organists of the Lodges whose music brightens the ritual and banquet ceremonies. For the assistance and co-operation which was always evident, I am deeply grateful which in turn, also indicates the splendid Masonic spirit prevailing throughout the District.

To have the privilege of serving Toronto District "A-2" has been a great honour, and for this I humbly express my sincere appreciation.

DAVID A. PETERS, D.D.G.M.

### TORONTO DISTRICT "B-1"

The genuine and most cordial reception tendered to me on all visits to the fifteen Lodges comprising Toronto District B-1 evinced the loyalty and esteem of the brethren for the Grand Master and Grand Lodge.

The appointment of W. Bro. Edward C. Fowler as District Secretary added the business experience that was so valuable and necessary in the examination of the records and the financial reports of the various Lodges. The District Secretary performed the necessary duties capably and well. His comments on each written report aided considerably when I summarized the findings to the brethren.

During the various official visits each Lodge performed the work of one degree. One cannot convey fully, through the written word, the excellence of the presentation of the ritual. There was a real endeavour on the part of all officers to exemplify only the best. It was a distinct pleasure to commend the Officers, Past Masters, and Brethren, at the close of the degree work. Much of the success in the Toronto District B-1 can be attributed to Masonic Education meetings, the Wardens' Association, and fraternal visitation.

Under the leadership of W. Bro. John Arthur, of Caledonia Lodge, and W. Bro. Henry Saunders, of Coronati Lodge, District B-1 and B-2 combined for effective meetings on Masonic Education. There were two urban meetings and one rural meeting which were extremely well attended. It was our pleasure to welcome R.W. Bro. B. B. Foster, Chairman of the Grand Lodge Committee on Masonic Education, to the first of these meetings. In each case the agenda was well prepared and capably presented. These leaders gave unstintingly of their time and talent and deserve our sincerest appreciation.

I had the pleasure of addressing on one occasion the Masters of the combined districts, and on another, the Senior and Junior Wardens. These addresses, as well as the addresses on the occasion of each official visit, dealt with matters of Masonic interest and were directed towards the good of Masonry in the District.

Several Lodges held Church Services at which I was privileged to read the lesson. On March 15th, the Annual Church Service was held in Dovercourt Road Presbyterian Church. The Service was conducted by the Rev. Ross Cameron, M.A., a brother and Chaplain of Stevenson Lodge. The Grand Chaplain attended and delivered an inspiring message, based upon the scripture lesson read by the District Deputy Grand Master. Many Grand Lodge Officers and district brethren attended on a very stormy night.

The highlight of this Masonic year was the reception to the Grand Master, Most Worshipful Brother Harry Laishley Martyn, given by the combined Toronto Districts B-1, B-2 and D. The success of the evening demonstrated the effectiveness of careful planning and the spirit of brotherhood. Approximately four hundred Masons attended and listened attentively to the response of the Grand Master to the Toast to Grand Lodge as he told of many interesting continent-wide experiences regarding the general condition of Masonry. The Masters of the three Districts were presented in person to the Grand Master. As a mark of affection and as a reminder of a very important occasion, the brethren presented a silver tea service to the Grand Master.

Many fraternal visits were made in addition to the official ones. On such occasions it was possible to glean some of the finer aspects of Brotherly Love of brethren who had dedicated themselves to some pursuit. One brother enhanced the flyleaf of the Volume of the Sacred Law for each and every candidate with an illuminated page; another took upon himself the task of instructing the candidates in each degree. One cannot overlook the Organists who contribute so much and in many cases receive no official recognition.

To conclude this report I would like to express my appreciation to the many brethren who made this a truly Masonic

year; to the Past District Deputy Grand Masters for their help and wisdom at their annual re-acquaintance night; for the pleasant "at homes" to which the District Secretary and I could escort our ladies. My wish for the future is that Toronto District B-1 may maintain the high spirit of Masonry that I have seen.

THOMAS H. W. SALMON, D.D.G.M.

### TORONTO DISTRICT "B-2"

Grand Lodge can certainly be very proud of the high esteem in which they are held by all Lodges in this District. The sincere and dignified manner in which I was received on every occasion bespeaks the feelings of every brother.

My appointment of Wor. Bro. J. Meek as District Secretary has proven an exceptional choice. He has faithfully visited with me on every occasion and took over the necessary examinations of the various Lodge records, reporting all information in a concise and accurate manner. To him I extend my thanks.

Masonic Education, under the capable chairmanship of Wor. Bro. H. Saunders, has been very progressive in the joint leadership of "B-1" and "B-2" Committees, and those attending were well rewarded. Two of the meetings were held in the city and one in the country for the benefit of the country lodges. Every Lodge in the District has a Committee on Masonic Education, and in most cases the activity is very commendable.

On Sunday, November 23rd, the District Church Service was held at the Church of St. Columba, the sermon being given by the District Chaplain, Rev. Bro. W. J. Lennox. We were honoured to have our Grand Master, Most Wor. Bro. H. L. Martyn, participate in the Service together with the Grand Chaplain, Rt. Wor. Bro. Rev. R. S. Skinner, and the attendance of 250 was most gratifying. Seven Services were held by Lodges in the District and on each occasion I was privileged to take part. Most of these Services were held jointly by two or more Lodges, which is to be highly recommended. By having joint Services the attendance is better and is more gratifying to those who plan the Service.

The Constitution and Consecration of East Gate Lodge, No. 693, was one of the highlights of the year in which I was privileged to take part. Most Wor. Bro. J. A. Hearn presented the Grand Master and his words of wisdom were thoroughly appreciated by the many Masons in attendance.

The ceremonies planned by Markham Union Lodge, No. 87, to celebrate their 100th Anniversary were most impressive. Our Grand Master gave a very instructive and interesting

talk. The honour granted me to assist in the Dedication of the new Markham Masonic Temple is one I value most highly, and the foundation of Masonry laid some 100 years ago in Markham will most certainly flourish in the beautiful surroundings they now have. They are to be congratulated for the work and effort they have put into the construction of their new building.

It is a distinct pleasure, at any time, to welcome the Grand Master, and the brethren of Toronto Districts "B-1", "B-2" and "D" were given this distinction at a reception to Most Wor. Bro. Harry L. Martyn on March 30th. Some 400 Masons gathered together on this occasion to listen to an inspiring and eloquent address.

I would indeed be remiss if I did not again mention the fine work being done by the many Lodge Organists. Their contribution to our meetings adds a solemn dignity to the ritual that is most enjoyable. Many Lodges have choirs who are doing a splendid job, not only in their own Lodge, but throughout the District.

The many "At Homes" held by the various Lodges were most thoroughly enjoyed by Mrs. Elsie, Mrs. Meek, the District Secretary and myself. The friendly and sincere manner in which we were received on every occasion was most appreciated.

During the early part of the year, I invested Very Wor. Bro. J. Carnaghan of Scarboro Lodge, No. 653, with the regalia of a Grand Steward, and I presented a Fifty Year Medal to Bro. Fred Walter, of Canada Lodge, No. 532.

One of the saddest duties I had was to attend several Funeral Services held for brethren of this District who had ascended to the Grand Lodge Above, and while these Services were conducted in a dignified and quiet manner, I could not help but feel that the Funeral Service did not seem adequate for the type of Service now held. It would seem that we should strive to make our Service more suitable for the present day type of Service.

Many interesting and informative meetings were held by the various Lodges. Wor. Bro. Wm. Stricker, of Wexford Lodge, No. 683, initiated his son, and Wor. Bro. D. Robertson initiated a father and son into Dentonia Lodge, No. 651. Space does not permit description of the many enjoyable evenings planned by the Wor. Masters of all the Lodges, and I can only congratulate them for the fine work they are doing, and trust that they will continue to plan their meetings for the benefit of all the brethren.

Most of our Masonic Education is based on tradition, landmarks, history and symbolism of the Craft, and I sometimes feel that we overlook one of the most important prin-

ciples of Masonry—being friendly. Without friendship our Order would cease to exist as a fraternal organization. One cannot purchase friendship like candy; it must be earned by being a friend, by showing an interest in our fellow Masons. The great amount of work to be done, particularly in the city Lodges, makes it very difficult to "squeeze in" a talk on Masonic Education, but the practice of friendship and brotherly love can do much to increase the value of membership in our Order.

I am most happy to report that Masonry in this District is in good hands. Ritualistic work in all Lodges is excellent and the support given by the Past Masters to the present officers deserves mention. Members are eager to participate, and their contributions are outstanding. The Masters, officers and members of all the Lodges have made, for me, a year that will always be remembered. The many kindnesses extended to me are deeply appreciated and it is my hope that I have, in some small way, strengthened the bond of friendship among the Lodges of the District.

ROBERT ELSIE, D.D.G.M.

### TORONTO DISTRICT "C"

In the time which has elapsed since our last Grand Lodge Communication it has been a most rewarding experience to represent the Grand Master in this, one of the large Districts of our Grand Jurisdiction.

Toronto District "C" is now composed of twenty Lodges in Toronto and nine Lodges extending from Thornhill just north of the Metropolitan limits to Bradford on Highway 11, and Sutton West on Lake Simcoe. The membership in this District is well over 7,000 which we believe to be among the largest in the province.

It would be difficult to enumerate the many spontaneous demonstrations of respect which were accorded the Grand Master through his representative. The brethren of this District have a sense of pride and loyalty for the Grand Master and Grand Lodge for which, as their emissary, the District Deputy Grand Master had reason to be at all times truly grateful.

I was proud to appoint my long time friend, Wor. Bro. Mel Maltby, the District Secretary, and it proved to be a choice which met with approval throughout the District. On the occasion of each visit Wor. Bro. Maltby was immensely helpful in his summary of the report which is given the District Deputy and he always made favourable comment regarding the co-operation received from the Secretary. According to these reports, the Secretaries of this District are devoted men who contribute a great deal of time and thought to the best interests of their respective Lodges, and in turn those of the larger field of Masonry.

I was at all times impressed with the dignity with which the Master of each Lodge, assisted by Past Masters and officers, conferred the various degrees. I was also gratified to observe the self-assurance with which some members participated. During the season I witnessed all three degrees and am proud to report that the standard of ritual is very high. I would also make favourable comment regarding the care with which brethren were prepared for the Fellowcraft and Master Mason Degrees. It indicated that our brethren have a real interest in assisting their fellows in the inferior degrees.

Masonic Education has been under the guidance of an able committee of which Wor. Bro. John Yaeger served as Chairman along with Wor. Bro. Keith Sabine, the Secretary. These brethren, assisted by their advisors, planned three meetings.

The first meeting took place at St. Clair Lodge where we heard very fine talks by three eminent Masons. R. Wor. Bro. John Rumball spoke on Masonic Jurisprudence; R. Wor. Bro. Frank Malcolm told the gathering something of the activities of the Masonic Service Guild, and R. Wor. Bro. George McQueen told the great story of Benevolence in this Grand Jurisdiction.

The second meeting which was sponsored by Rehoboam Lodge took the form of a Lodge of Instruction on the Second Degree under the able guidance of R. Wor. Bro. Molson C. Cain. The men who participated, all of whom were junior officers, came from the rural Lodges and they performed like veterans.

The third evening at Tuscan Lodge, Newmarket, was devoted to a demonstration of the care with which prospective applicants should be interviewed, and it made a real impression on the capacity audience. The very fine manuscript for this demonstration was written by Wor. Bro. John Yaeger, Wor. Bro. Sabine and Wor. Bro. Andrew Hood. It consisted of two interviews and a Committee of General Purposes meeting at which these interviews were discussed. Those taking part were Senior Wardens and their ability to portray the various situations was highly commendable.

During this year Tuscan Lodge, Newmarket, celebrated its One Hundredth Anniversary, the chief occasion being a fine banquet at which R. Wor. Bro. C. M. Pitts, Deputy Grand Master, addressed the brethren.

Divine Services were sponsored by Fairbank and Harmony Lodges, by Tuscan Lodge, Simcoe Lodge and Richmond Lodge, all of which were well attended. The District Divine Service was conducted by the District Chaplain, Bro. Rev. Noble Hatton, in Sherbourne United Church. The District

Chaplain was assisted by M. Wor. Bro. James P. Maher, Past Grand Master, and the District Deputy Grand Master.

It is with regret that I write of the passing of a number of faithful and highly respected brethren. In many instances Masonic Honours were observed and, whenever it was possible, either the Grand Master or both were present.

This Masonic season began on September 29th, with the Institution of Harry L. Martyn Lodge. This Lodge was formed under the leadership of R. Wor. Bro. Walter Overend, who became its first Master, and is mainly composed of brethren from other parts of the country, who were anxious for affiliation in Ontario. This new Lodge has had a most active first season with a very high average attendance.

My last formal duty was to accompany the Grand Master in the Dedication Ceremony of the new Richmond Temple. Most Worshipful Brother Martyn addressed the assembly at the banquet and was presented with Honorary Life Membership following the Dedication. The brethren of Richmond Lodge, No. 23, are to be congratulated on the beauty of their new Temple.

Throughout the activities during the past months I have at all times been encouraged and inspired by the faithful attendance of Masters, Past Masters, Senior Wardens and Junior Wardens, for which I wish to express my sincere gratitude.

HAROLD F. NORMAN,  
D.D.G.M.

### TORONTO DISTRICT "D"

It has been a very rewarding experience for me to serve as D.D.G.M. during the past year. The esteem and respect for the Grand Master is reflected by the sincerity with which I was received throughout the District. It is my wish to express to the Masters, Past Masters, Wardens, officers and brethren, my deep appreciation for the genuine kindness of their greeting wherever I visited.

The appointment of W. Bro. George N. Walker as District Secretary proved to be a most excellent choice. He performed the duties of his office with an enthusiasm that merited every promise and trust which I had for him and he has certainly won for himself the sincere esteem of his brethren. While the D.D.G.M. perhaps is the recipient of great honour, we must not forget the great contribution to the District which is given by the District Secretary.

W. Bro. Rev. Milton Williams again consented to act as District Chaplain, and, as in former years, gave excellent leadership. The Annual District Divine Service was held in the Church of the Nativity on April 12th, and the Church

was crowded to capacity with the brethren and many of their ladies. The Grand Master was present and participated in the Service. Many individual Lodges held other Services, and I attended whenever possible.

W. Bro. George W. Lennox acted as District Chairman of Masonic Education, and was most enthusiastic in the discharge of his duties, in co-operation with R. W. Bro. B. B. Foster, Chairman of Masonic Education, who gave excellent leadership in this work. Wor. Bro. Lennox organized two separate Lodges of Instruction, on October 29th, and on April 29th, and with the splendid co-operation of our Senior Wardens' groups, under the capable direction of R.W. Bro. Molson Cain, gave the brethren of this District very valuable instruction which was well received by over two hundred at each meeting. I offer my sincere thanks to R. W. Bro. Cain for his generous assistance.

The outstanding event of the year was the reception to the Grand Master, sponsored jointly by Districts B-1, B-2 and D. It was well attended by over four hundred brethren who gave a most genuine and sincere expression of the great loyalty and affection they have for the Grand Master. The evening was a very pleasant one, and the address of the Grand Master was most inspiring; all brethren present, I am certain, were given renewed enthusiasm for the great principles of our Institution.

The Senior Wardens' group in this District continues, as in the past, to be a most active and well organized association. They are enthusiastic, loyal and very sincere and constantly set an example of uniformity. Visiting each of the twenty-five Lodges, and doing degree work in all, they not only derive great experience but they become more capable for future responsibilities. They also promote a great feeling of friendliness and fellowship as they travel throughout the District.

I visited each Lodge at least once, and most Lodges several times during the year. I have been impressed with the very excellent degree work being done in this District; the standard is exceptionally high. This must be due to the Masonic Education programmes of the last several years in this District which have been most instructive and so well attended.

The calibre of new members is excellent. All Lodges are to be commended for the careful manner in which they are choosing those who are to carry on the great ideals of the Craft.

It has been my privilege to present and invest Grand Stewards on two occasions; to present one Fifty Year Medal, and to attend many special meetings of various Lodges in the District. All visitations have been most pleasant and

profitable. Accompanied by the District Secretary, I was present at Installation Ceremonies in most Lodges of the District, and I was greatly impressed with the sincerity and the dignity which prevailed on these occasions.

District "D" lost a considerable number of worthy brethren during the year, and on every occasion when it was made known to us, the District Secretary and I visited the chapel and attended the Memorial Services whenever possible.

Mr. Graham and I have been happy to accept invitations to attend many social functions in the District, and we have enjoyed very much the opportunity of meeting so many of the brethren and their ladies. True Masonic friendship was so much in evidence on all these occasions, and we will certainly retain the most pleasant recollections for years to come.

The Secretaries of the District continue to give outstanding service to their individual Lodges and, also, give the finest leadership at all times. The District Secretary was very impressed with the efficiency and the excellent condition of all records and accounts of all District Lodges; the Secretaries are as always a great strength to the Lodges they serve.

The Worshipful Masters are doing excellent work in planning and organizing their meetings. There seem to be many members, who are not officers, yet are anxious to do the work, and they do it exceptionally well. This was well illustrated on many of my visitations, and I feel that members in all Lodges should be encouraged to participate in the work if we are to stimulate better attendance. Yet, with the increased use of these younger members, we must hold the stabilizing guidance of the older and more experienced members, that we may build up the new on a strong foundation.

The officers in all Lodges are earnest and sincere in their respective responsibilities, and are ever anxious to do creditable work. I have noted a genuine desire throughout the Lodges of the District; members and officers are eager to learn, to increase their knowledge of the principles of the Craft, and to improve their individual abilities, that Masonry may be the better for their membership in it. There is a more enquiring attitude manifested throughout the District, and a far greater enthusiasm for excellence.

Unlike other associations, the ritual of our institution is most prominent and we must be sure that it is as close to perfection and given with the sincerity and the dignity which it merits. Wherever work is done exceptionally well, a far greater spirit of enthusiasm prevails, and there is the exact reverse if this is not true. Members appreciate dignity and

the utmost sincerity, and they will come to Lodge regularly if they may expect, when they come, to hear the degree work done on a high level of perfection. Those in charge of work in the various Lodges must be mindful of this, and continue to promote an eagerness and a desire for a thorough preparation of all degree work.

In conclusion, may I say that I appreciate so much the genuine and sincere co-operation which I have received during the year. The many friendships which I have made, and the kindnesses of so many brethren have given me great encouragement, and I sincerely wish to thank my brethren for the great privilege which has been mine.

D. H. GRAHAM, D.D.G.M.

### VICTORIA DISTRICT

During the Masonic year of 1958-59, I have had the privilege of visiting each of the thirteen Lodges in the Victoria District. The most gracious and cordial reception was extended to me on my official visit to the different Lodges, which indicated the sense of loyalty, affection and esteem which the brethren have for the Grand Master.

It was my pleasure to have Wor. Bro. Wm. Scott, of Kinmount, accompany me on each visit as District Secretary. I appreciated the inspiring assistance of Bro. Rev. C. W. Thomas who attended each meeting in the official capacity of District Chaplain.

The brethren of the District made a great effort in visiting the various Lodges on their inspection night. This was most encouraging. I found the work in all the Lodges in Victoria District well given. On the whole the Masters and their officers are carrying out their duties exceptionally well. I was particularly impressed by the fine type of candidates being received into Masonry in the District. Our new brethren will contribute much to the spirit of goodwill and fellowship which is prevalent in this locality.

The Masters', Past Masters' and Wardens' Association was active and held two meetings during the year which were well attended and were very successful.

There were many highlights during the year, beginning with the Fred Warren Traveling Gavel, which was presented to the Somerville Lodge by Spry Lodge in September. It has now been presented five times during the year.

We had a very delightful and instructive evening at Gothic Lodge, Lindsay, on their inspection night. The highlight of the evening was an address given by the Grand Chaplain, R.W. Bro. R. S. Skinner.

The Wardens' Association of Victoria District held four meetings during the year. The first meeting was held in Fenelon Falls at which the officers were elected. The second was held in the Arcadia Lodge, Minden, where degrees were conferred. The third meeting was a Lodge of Instruction under the guidance of Rt. Wor. Bro. Molson Cain, Past Grand Senior Warden, in Spry Lodge, Fenelon Falls. The fourth meeting was held in Faithful Brethren Lodge, Lindsay, where the Third Degree was conferred.

District Divine Service was held in St. James Anglican Church, Kinmount, on Sunday, April 12th. The Church was filled to capacity. Bro. Rev. Thomas, District Chaplain, was the officiating Minister, taking for his text, "The Posture of My Daily Supplications".

The highlight of the year was the visit of our Grand Master to Victoria District in Kinmount with 140 Masons present. Sincere co-operation and enthusiasm were rendered by all the brethren of the District to the Grand Master on his visit.

Much has been accomplished regarding Masonic Education under the supervision of Wor. Bro. Ken Johnston, of Gothic Lodge, Lindsay. Several medals were presented during the year for long and faithful service to the fraternity.

In the fall of 1958, North Entrance Lodge started its new Temple and by June 1st, 1959, they had completed a wonderful building which is a great credit to the Lodge. The brethren must be commended for their interest in Masonry. Victoria District is very proud to have a Masonic Temple of this kind in Haliburton.

I wish to express my sincere appreciation for the honour of being elected to the office of D.D.G.M. and for the wonderful receptions and co-operation I received during the past year. I shall always cherish the memories of a most rewarding year in Masonry.

W. H. CARR, D.D.G.M.

## WELLINGTON DISTRICT

I thank the members of Wellington District for the honour and privilege of serving as your D.D.G.M. It has been an experience I shall always cherish and remember with pleasure. The cordial and gracious reception accorded me on my official and fraternal visits to the twenty-two Lodges in the District is sincerely and gratefully acknowledged.

Wor. Bro. Wilfred Graystone kindly agreed to act as District Secretary. He served both as Secretary of the District and as Secretary of his own Lodge. He was most capable in his work, accompanying me on all my official

visits. His report clearly indicates the splendid work that all Lodge Secretaries in the District are doing.

R.W. Bro. D. K. Bartleman, who has for many years faithfully and capably acted as Supervisor of Masonic Education, requested to be relieved of this duty. It was with regret that I acceded to his wish. Accordingly, I appointed V. Wor. Bro. N. R. Richards, who most kindly accepted this office and discharged his many duties with great skill. V. Wor. Bro. Richards and his able committee arranged two District Meetings which were well received. My personal thanks are hereby extended to V. Wor. Bro. Richards and his committee for their splendid contribution and I trust that he will act in this capacity for many years to come.

It was a privilege for Preston Lodge to have the reception and dinner in honour of the Grand Master, M.W. Bro. H. L. Martyn, held in Preston, November 3rd, at the Hotel Kress. This outstanding event was well attended by members of Wellington District who enthusiastically gave our Grand Master a standing ovation at the conclusion of a splendid address. It was a most successful evening.

I appointed Bro. the Rev. H. J. Herlihey, District Chaplain; he fulfilled his duties most satisfactorily.

The District Divine Service, under the direction of Bro. Herlihey, was held in Preston, Sunday, May 3rd, at 7.00 p.m. in St. Paul's United Church, of which he was minister. The brethren of the District attended in goodly numbers and participated in a reverent and inspiring service.

The work in the District is very uniform and well given and certainly shows the keen interest and skill the Masters and officers of this District are putting into their ritual work.

Attendance again poses a serious problem to all Lodges and it will always be a problem, I believe, owing to the ever-increasing tempo of modern living. May I stress that we must all be vitally interested at all times in employing every possible means to maintain maximum attendance—a “must” for Masonic usefulness.

In closing, I bespeak for my successor the same spirit of co-operation and lively brotherhood which has been given to me. May Wellington District always carry on its splendid contribution to Freemasonry.

L. R. HERTEL, D.D.G.M.

## WESTERN DISTRICT

Commencing my year as D.D.G.M. of Western District, Wor. Bro. G. M. McLeod, a Past Master of Atikokan Lodge,

No. 668, accepted the appointment as District Secretary; Rt. Wor. Bro. V. K. Croxford, Ionic Lodge, No. 461, accepted the appointment as District Chaplain; and Bro. E. I. Swanbergson, Atikokan Lodge, accepted the appointment as District Director of Masonic Education.

Wor. Bro. McLeod, who accompanied me on all official visits, has been very active and a great help throughout the year. The records and accounts of each Lodge were carefully checked by him and were reported to be in good order.

It was a pleasure to share with the Lodges of Western District the enthusiasm of the Chaplain, R. Wor. Bro. Croxford, in his office. He accompanied the Secretary and me on many of our visits. Due to the distance involved, the Chaplain arranged for two District Divine Services, one for the southern portion at Emo United Church, the second at St. Luke's Anglican Church, Dryden, with very satisfactory attendances. At both, the Chaplain and I participated by reading the lessons from the Volume of the Sacred Law. Local Divine Services were held by each Lodge.

Masonic Education is definitely improving. While the majority of the Lodges in the District have regular instruction, one Lodge, which previously had very little, is now devoting a regular period to this, and a second has advised a stated monthly period has been set aside to commence with the fall meetings. For this, much credit must go to Bro. Swanbergson for his persistent effort and devotion. If one were to single out one dedicated to Freemasonry, it would be this brother. Granite Lodge, under the supervision of Wor. Bro. E. M. Hemmens, retained the shield which is competed for annually by Fort Frances, Keewatin and Kenora Lodges.

The condition of Masonry in Western District is very good. The majority of Lodges conferred degrees on my official visits and the work was generally well given. One could not but be impressed with the sincerity and zeal of the younger brethren who participated in the work.

A common problem, but one which affects Western District in a somewhat different way, is Lodges with more than two hundred membership and where there are periods available for additional meetings in the lodge rooms. If the Lodges concerned would share jurisdiction for the institution of another Lodge, this would give opportunity for more brethren to participate in the work, and thus increase the interest and improve the attendance.

Due to the decline of industry, with resulting decreased population, Keewatin Lodge, No. 417, is confronted with lack of prospective candidates. In the adjoining Lodges of Pеп quoga, No. 414, and Lake of the Woods, No. 445 (who have

joint jurisdiction) there is an increasing population. In view of this and the proximity of these three Lodges, I recommended to them that there be concurrent jurisdiction.

Two District Lodges celebrated anniversaries, with Golden Star, No. 484, marking their fiftieth, and Granite, No. 446, their sixtieth.

For the first time, the D.D.G.M.'s of Algoma and Western Districts reciprocated visits on their official inspection of their home Lodges. Rt. Wor. Bro. Roy Gunn accorded me the honour of addressing his Lodge. I have an especially warm regard for this Rt. Wor. Brother, who suffered a great loss in the sudden death of his wife early in his term of office, yet carried on in serving Grand Lodge with true qualities of Masonry.

The respect and fraternal spirit found throughout the entire District reflects their loyalty to Grand Lodge.

JOHN B. FRASER, D.D.G.M.

## WILSON DISTRICT

I have visited all twenty-two Lodges in Wilson District and on every occasion was accorded a warm and cordial welcome. A most gracious and full respect was accorded the Grand Master and Grand Lodge by all brethren.

On my visits I was accompanied by the District Secretary, Wor. Bro. James C. Long; the District Chaplain, Wor. Bro. Rev. George A. Shields, and the Director of Masonic Education, Wor. Bro. Stanley J. Hislop. Each of these officers was given the opportunity to address the brethren. Attendance at all visits was exceptionally good. The degree work throughout the District was well done in a capable manner. It was very uniform and impressive.

Wor. Bro. James C. Long, District Secretary, who has so ably assisted me during the year, found all Lodges in sound financial positions with most capable Secretaries in charge. Premises were in good condition, but a few lacked sufficient insurance and increases were recommended.

Masonic Education was found to be thriving in the District and was greatly assisted by Wor. Bro. Hislop with his stirring information. The guidance and assistance of Rt. Wor. Bro. Bruce Foster were very valuable. Wor. Bro. Rev. George A. Shields was able to uphold the connection of religion and Masonry at all official visits and will long be remembered in the District.

Our District Divine Service was held in the Innerkip Presbyterian Church on November 2nd. Wor. Bro. Rev. George A. Shields arranged the Service and delivered the sermon. He was assisted by Rev. J. P. Schissler, minister of the Church.

Two lodges in the District celebrated their Centennial during the year. I was present at the celebration of Blenheim Lodge, No. 108, Princeton, where the speaker was R.W. Bro. D. M. Sutherland, a member of the Blenheim Lodge and District Deputy Grand Master in 1914. He delivered a superb address on the history of Masonry in Ontario. The Centennial celebration of St. John's, No. 104, Norwich, will take place in the fall.

I also attended two receptions, one in London, and one in St. Marys, given in honour of Most Wor. Bro. H. L. Martyn.

The Past Masters' and Wardens' Association held three meetings during the year, with a large attendance at each. On March 11th, Mercer Wilson Lodge, Woodstock, was host to the Association. Rt. Wor. Bro. Molson Cain and a degree team from Toronto exemplified and explained the Third Degree in a most efficient manner.

On March 17th I presided at the institution of Corinthian Lodge in Kintore. I was assisted by Rt. Wor. Bro. H. L. Peers, London; Rt. Wor. Bro. White, of South Huron District, and other Past Grand Lodge officers.

On May 25th I had the pleasure of attending the first Lodge meeting held in the fine new Temple of Frederick Lodge, No. 217, Delhi. The new Temple at Ingersoll is nearing completion.

One of the highlights of the year was the evening of my final and official visit to my Mother Lodge—Oak Branch, No. 261, when the Lodge was host to all Masons in Wilson District. The guest speaker, Wor. Bro. Robert Groom, delivered an inspiring address.

In closing I would say that Masonry in Wilson District is making steady progress with each Lodge striving to promote the ideals of Masonry.

WM. A. CHESNEY, D.D.G.M.

## WINDSOR DISTRICT

It has been a great experience to have had the privilege of serving as District Deputy in the Windsor District, and the warm reception that I received on all occasions is something that I will always remember. I visited all of the 19 Lodges officially, and many unofficial visits were made. Wor. Bro. Douglas Martin, the District Secretary, accompanied me on all occasions and examined the lodge books and records and all were found to be in good order.

I appointed Wor. Bro. Rev. Gordon Houghton as District Chaplain, and as we in the Windsor District were very fortunate in having the Grand Chaplain this year, these two

brethren accompanied me on many of my visits and added a great deal to the dignity and success of the meetings.

The Windsor District Past Masters' and Officers' Association is a great help to the District. It gives the new officers an opportunity of becoming better acquainted and stimulates interest among all the Lodges.

During the year I presented a Fifty Year Past Master's Medal to Wor. Bro. C. R. Hackett, of Thistle Lodge, Amherstburg, and a Fifty Year Medal to Bro. J. H. Madill, of King Edward Lodge, Harrow.

The District Divine Service was held in Windsor this year in Emmanuel United Church and was well attended. It was also my pleasure to be present at several Services which were held in the County by the individual Lodges.

It is very gratifying to learn of the improvement in Lodge premises throughout the Province, and in our District alone two new lodge buildings were dedicated. On April 24th Rt. Wor. Bro. Bruce Foster represented the Grand Master and dedicated the new building of Thistle Lodge, No. 34, at Amherstburg. The following night Rt. Wor. Bro. J. A. Irvine represented the Grand Master at Harrow and dedicated the new building of King Edward Lodge, No. 488. Both of these meetings were preceded by a banquet and we were very pleased to have both the Grand Sr. Warden and Grand Jr. Warden present, as well as many past and present Grand Lodge officers from the Windsor and Chatham Districts.

In conclusion, I would like to thank the brethren of the Windsor District for their loyal support, and to say how pleased I am to have had the opportunity of serving as District Deputy during the past year.

BRUCE C. MARTIN, D.D.G.M.

### REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON WARRANTS

This report was presented by R. W. Bro. J. N. Allan, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. Allan, it was received and adopted.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada, in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

Your Committee on Warrants is pleased to present its report for the year ended May 31st, 1959.

Your Committee is pleased to report, as it did in each of the two previous years, that applications for warrants have been received from five new Lodges that have been operating under dispensation granted by the Most Worshipful the Grand Master. The records of the Lodges applying for warrants were again excellent all had complied with the direction of Grand Lodge that a bound (not loose leaf) minute book and a proper membership ledger be used. It was gratifying to observe that none of the Secretaries concerned had used a membership card system in place of the ledger. The possibility of the loss of the membership record of a brother is thus lessened. The excellence of the records examined emphasized the wisdom of selecting an experienced and well skilled brother to serve as secretary of the new Lodge.

Your Committee wish to again encourage the institution of new Lodges where such action appears advisable. The steady increase in the number of Lodges indicates a continued and healthy growth of our Order in this Grand Jurisdiction. Your Committee would again remind the brethren that members of smaller Lodges have more opportunity to participate in the work and because of this are likely to have a greater interest in their Lodge.

Following the examination of the petitions, books and records already mentioned we are pleased to recommend that warrants be issued to the following Lodges presently under Dispensation:

- (a) HARRY L. MARTYN LODGE, U.D., Toronto, instituted September 29, 1958, to be numbered 696 and placed in Toronto "C" District.
- (b) GRANTHAM LODGE, U.D., Port Dalhousie, instituted September 29, 1958, to be numbered 697 and placed in Niagara "A" District.
- (c) ELLIOT LAKE LODGE, U.D., Elliot Lake, instituted February 11, 1959, to be numbered 698 and placed in Nipissing West District.
- (d) BETHEL LODGE, U.D., Sudbury, instituted February 13, 1959, to be numbered 699 and placed in Nipissing West District.
- (e) CORINTHIAN LODGE, U.D., Kintore, instituted March 17, 1959, to be numbered 700 and placed in Wilson District.

It has been the practice of your Committee each year to remind all new Lodge Secretaries of the advantage of starting always at the top of the page to record the Minutes

of a Meeting and likewise of the desirability of making marginal notes indicating the subject matter of each paragraph. This practice will prove exceedingly useful in ascertaining information regarding items recorded in the Minutes.

We likewise recommend that new Lodges procure suitable record books and have them properly set up, thus establishing the foundation for properly recording the proceedings and records of the Lodge.

Your Committee has, in previous reports, suggested that the new Lodge seek the advice and direction of the Grand Secretary's office in this very important undertaking. We now go farther, and urge that this practice be followed, indeed, we recommend that a circular be prepared by the Grand Secretary's office setting out in detail the proper books to procure and those procedures considered important in establishing a system whereby the proceedings of the new Lodge will be recorded properly.

Your Committee further recommends:

1. That copies of Lodge summonses should be retained and periodically bound. This is a small effort and enables interesting data in connection with the Lodge to be available in an accessible form.
2. That new Lodges appoint an interested brother to record the history of the Lodge each year. We suggest that a plan be developed which will assure that such historical notes will be completed each year and placed with the records of the Lodge.
3. That consideration be given by every new Lodge to the provision of a fireproof receptacle which will accommodate the Warrant, the minute book, the by-laws, the membership ledger and the history of the Lodge. The Warrant and all records of a Lodge become increasingly valuable as the years pass. It must be realized that the originals, if destroyed, can never be replaced.

Finally, your Committee wish to extend felicitations to these new Lodges and to express the hope that success in abundance will reward the efforts of the officers and members of the individual Lodges. We were especially pleased to learn that Lodge No. 696 bears the name of Most Wor. Bro. Harry L. Martyn. It is fitting that such a worthy brother is so honoured and we wish this Lodge an especial measure of success.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted,

JAMES N. ALLAN,

Chairman.

## REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FRATERNAL RELATIONS

This report was presented by M.W. Bro. F. A. Copus, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by M.W. Bro. F. A. Copus, it was received and adopted.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge, A.F. & A.M., of Canada, in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

There would be little for us to report this year if the duty of this Committee consisted solely of dealing with the applications for recognition from Grand Lodges not at present regarded as members of our Masonic family. For, while there are a number of applications in hand, none of them is acceptable without further investigation. It has long been the policy of this Committee to move but slowly in this matter of recognition, so we recommend that the application from the newly formed Grand Lodge of Japan should be laid over for further investigation, while those from China, France, Brazil, the Lebanese Grand Lodge (Arab) and Mexico be indefinitely postponed until time and circumstances bring happier home conditions. Not entirely out of the picture is the possibility that within a year we may have to ask Grand Lodge for a tightening upon our present list of recognized Grand Lodges, due to the fruitage of political and religious disturbances, principally in South and Central America.

It is perhaps well to emphasize that the matter of recognition is only a portion of the duties of this Committee on Fraternal Relations. In a wider, and quite as important a sense, it is the special function of the Committee, indeed, its imperative duty, to carefully watch conditions as they develop throughout the Masonic world, to be, as it were, the conning tower from which we may evaluate what is going on in other Grand Lodges. It is ours to flash here a red light and there one of green as a guide for Ontario Freemasonry.

This Committee is made up of all who have served the office of Grand Master, together with the Deputy Grand Master and the Grand Secretary. While it is not always possible to secure unanimity on matters that are in any way controversial it is not unfair to state that the Committee is exceptional in that it represents a body of opinion that is informed by long experience and a careful and knowledgeable regard for all that is best in Canadian Freemasonry.

It is the judgment of the Committee that at the present time one or two facts need to be stressed:

In most matters of legislation this Committee nourishes an earnest desire to follow carefully in the foot-steps of British Freemasonry both in procedure and in regard to relations with other ruling bodies in Masonry. Further, we are quite unable to subscribe whole heartedly to the doctrine of "Universal Freemasonry," if to do so means to accept practically on a wholesale basis everything that labels itself as Masonic. To us not all that claims to be Masonic is truly so, and we view with some alarm a universality that can be universal in name only. In the foreseeable future the time may come when this matter will have to be further dealt with.

In the meantime there should be a reemphasis on the fact that in the matter of recognition each Grand Lodge is master of its own house, that recognition is exclusively a Craft matter and that all authority in regard thereto is vested exclusively in the Grand Lodges. It should be added that Conferences, whether national or international, are welcome in an advisory capacity. Indeed we are grateful in particular to the efficient advisory committee of the Washington Conference as well as for information that comes from certain brethren who are specially interested. But it is impossible to avoid a certain uneasiness.

There are other matters that presently merit our thought: For instance, it was only two years ago that we extended recognition to the newly created United Grand Lodge of Germany, made up of some 260 lodges resurrected from the anti-Masonic Nazi regime and with the capable Dr. Vogel, personally known to some of us, as the Grand Master. During the past year this Grand Lodge has united with the Grosse Landesloge which is composed of some 82 lodges working in Germany under the Swedish Rite. It is not ours to criticise the union, for the Swedish Rite is worked by more than one of the Scandinavian Grand Lodges which are quite properly recognized by British and Canadian Freemasonry. But the fact remains that the "United Grand Lodges of Germany" of which Dr. Vogel is now the Grand Master is not the Grand Lodge that we recognized two years ago, and it is our opinion that there should be another application for recognition because to leave things as they are might lead to a time when we would have to deal with a so-called General Grand Lodge, from which may the fates defend us.

In France a situation of another kind has developed. There are three Grand Organizations in that country, only one of which (the Grand Lodge Nationale) is recognized by us or by British Freemasonry. Of the other two the Grand

Orient is outside the pale, being largely atheistic. In the Grand Lodge of France many of the lodges refuse to have the V.O.S.L. on their altars. An attempt has been made, so far unsuccessfully, to unite the Grand Lodge Nationale and the Grand Lodge of France, but certain difficulties stand in the way, some ritualistic and some administrative. It may be stated that as far as we are concerned there can be no recognition unless the Masonic fundamental as to the V.O.S.L. is universally observed.

Certainly, brethren, these are not easy days in which it is ours to hold high the torch of true Freemasonry, days that are so unsettled, so racked by new conceptions of human relations, and in the process so anchorless. It may well be that it is for Freemasonry to be foremost among those who strive to maintain the saving principles of conduct and of thought, the tried and everlasting true fundamentals on which all real hope of happiness depends, the inner arcanum of Masonic wisdom—that the Great Architect of the Universe is truly our Father, that He has revealed His will to men, and that all of us, irrespective of race, color or creed, are brothers. This is indeed Freemasonry in excelsis—and there is no other.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted.

FRANK A. COPUS,  
Chairman.

### ADDRESS OF LOYALTY

It was moved by M.W. Bro. J. A. McRae and seconded by M.W. Bro. F. A. Copus, that the following Address of Loyalty be adopted by this Grand Lodge for transmission to Her Majesty, Queen Elizabeth II through the Secretary of State for Canada:

TO HER MAJESTY, QUEEN ELIZABETH II

May it please your Majesty:

The Grand Lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of Canada in the Province of Ontario, now assembled in the City of Toronto in its One Hundredth and Fourth Annual Communication, desires to express anew to your Gracious Majesty their sincere and abiding loyalty to your Person and Throne, and will ever pray that your reign may be long and illustrious and continue to be one of peace and prosperity, promoting, in the highest degree, the happiness and welfare of all your subjects in every part of the British Commonwealth.

The members of this fraternity rejoice that Her Majesty and her Royal Consort, Prince Philip, are again visiting Canada. They have been received everywhere with loud acclaim and manifest joy, testifying to the loyalty, esteem and affection in which their Monarch and Prince Philip are held by Canadians from coast to coast. We are confident that the lengthy and arduous journey that Her Majesty and Prince Philip are making through the length and breadth of this land, will strengthen, everywhere, the ties that bind us to the Throne and will deepen the loyalty which we are proud to acknowledge we owe to our Sovereign, Queen Elizabeth.

The resolution was unanimously carried by a standing vote of the members with great applause.

### ACKNOWLEDGEMENT BY HER MAJESTY

#### COAT OF ARMS

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#### BALMORAL CASTLE

23rd August, 1959

Dear Sir,

I am commanded to ask you to convey to all members of the Grand Lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of Canada in the Province of Ontario, the sincere thanks of The Queen for the kind and loyal terms of their Resolution which was passed at their One Hundred and Fourth Annual Communication in Toronto on 15th July, 1959, and which Her Majesty has received with pleasure.

### CALLED OFF

Grand Lodge adjourned at 12.45 p.m.

### CALLED ON

Grand Lodge resumed Labor at 2.10 p.m., the Grand Master on the Throne.

## REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CONSTITUTION AND LAWS

This report was presented by M.W. Bro. T. H. Simpson, Chairman, and on his motion, seconded by M.W. Bro. N. C. Hart, it was received and adopted.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada, in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

The Committee on Constitution and Law begs leave to report as follows:

### PART ONE:

1. There is no constitutional objection to the following Notices of Motion given by M.W. Bro. N. C. Hart and dated April 24th, 1959:

(a) That Section 62 of the Constitution be deleted and the following substituted therefor:

“Section 62: During the temporary absence of the Grand Master from the Province, or during his temporary incapacity, from any cause, to discharge the duties of his office, the Deputy Grand Master, or failing him, the junior Past Grand Master shall possess all the powers of the Grand Master. Should the Grand Master die during his term of office, or become permanently incapable of discharging the duties thereof, the Deputy Grand Master, or failing him, the junior Past Grand Master shall forthwith be entitled to exercise the functions of Grand Master until the next annual election.”

(b) That Section 14 of the Constitution be deleted and the following substituted therefor:

“Section 14: The place at which the next Annual Communication of Grand Lodge is to be held shall be determined by the Board of General Purposes.”

However, your Committee suggests a change in the wording of the proposed amendment to Section 62 which it feels is simpler and more concise. It is as follows:

## VACANCIES IN OFFICE

### SECTION 62:

(a) In case of the death, resignation or permanent disability of the Grand Master, the Deputy Grand Master shall act, *ex officio*, as Grand Master until the next annual meeting of Grand Lodge at which meeting the vacancy shall be filled for the unexpired term by election.

(b) In case of the temporary disability, by absence or otherwise, of the Grand Master, the Deputy Grand Master shall act, *ex officio*, until the Grand Master shall resume his duties.

(c) In the event of the death, resignation, or permanent or temporary disability of both the Grand Master and the Deputy Grand Master, then the Immediate Past Grand Master, or if he decline or be disabled, then the next immediate Past Grand Master not disabled, shall act, *ex-officio*, as Grand Master until the disability is removed or until the next annual meeting of Grand Lodge, at which meeting all vacancies then existing shall be filled by election for the unexpired portions of their respective terms.

(d) Vacancies in all other elective offices shall be filled by election at the next annual meeting of Grand Lodge, until which time they shall be filled by appointment by the Grand Master.

### PART TWO:

#### CHANGE OF NAME — MUSKOKA DISTRICT

2. All of the Lodges in the Muskoka District (8 in all) have petitioned asking that their District be renamed and in future be known as Muskoka-Parry Sound District. Since every Lodge in the District is in favor of this change your Committee sees no objection. Your Committee recommends that the Petition be granted and that the name of Muskoka District be changed to that of Muskoka-Parry Sound District, effective forthwith.

### PART THREE:

#### CONCURRENT JURISDICTION

Mount Olivet Lodge, Number 300, located at Thorndale and Belmont Lodge, Number 190, located at Belmont, both in the London District, have requested that they be granted concurrent jurisdiction with the various Lodges in the City of London and three other Lodges now having concurrent

jurisdiction in the same area. All of the 14 Lodges concerned in this application have approved of the requests. Your Committee can see no objection to this. This is a very compact District, the furthest Lodge from London being less than 20 miles. Your Committee, therefore, recommends that concurrent jurisdiction be granted to all those Lodges which are now or which may hereafter be located within the jurisdiction of the following Lodges: Nilestown Lodge, No. 345, Nilestown; Kilwinning Lodge, No. 64, London; Tuscan Lodge, No. 195, London; St. John's Lodge, No. 20, London; St. Paul's Lodge, No. 107, Lambeth; Acacia Lodge, No. 580, London; Corinthian Lodge, No. 330, London; Temple Lodge, No. 597, London; St. John's Lodge, No. 209A, London; Ashlar Lodge, No. 610, Byron; St. George's Lodge, No. 42, London; King Solomon's Lodge, No. 378, London; Union Lodge, No. 380, London; Centennial Lodge, No. 684, London; Mount Olivet Lodge, No. 300, Thorndale, and Belmont Lodge, No. 190, Belmont, such change to be effective forthwith.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted,

T. H. SIMPSON,  
Chairman.

## REPORT ON FRATERNAL CORRESPONDENCE

M.W. Bro. N. C. Hart, Chairman, presented this report and read the Foreword to the Reviews. The Deputy Grand Master then moved, seconded by M.W. Bro. Hart, that the report be received and adopted. The motion was carried.

## REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON AUDIT AND FINANCE

This report was presented by R.W. Bro. R. C. Berkinshaw, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. Berkinshaw, it was received and adopted.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge, A.F. & A.M. of Canada, in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

The Grand Treasurer's Report, the Auditor's Report and the Report of the Grand Secretary for the year ended May 31, 1959, as previously submitted to this Annual Communic-

ation of Grand Lodge, have been reviewed by the members of the standing Committee on Audit and Finance.

The Committee finds that these reports fully and accurately set out all details relative and pertaining to—

- (a) the financial position of this Grand Lodge for the year ended May 31, 1959;
- (b) all items of receipts and disbursements in respect of the General Fund and the Combined Memorial and Semi-Centennial Funds;
- (c) full details of all transactions and changes in the capital account, which have occurred during the year under review, and
- (d) complete schedules of the securities in which Grand Lodge funds were invested, as of the above mentioned date.

The total par value of the above mentioned securities, as of May 31, 1959, was \$1,319,285.59; cash on hand and in the bank amounted to \$15,697.84, making the total of all resources \$1,334,983.43, as reported by the Grand Treasurer, which is \$27,104.20 greater than the corresponding figure for the previous year.

All securities in which Grand Lodge funds are presently invested are in the category of Trustee investments, except \$85,000.00 of debentures of Masonic Holdings, a non-profit corporation, without share capital, organized for the purposes of acquiring and owning real and personal property, also financing the construction and equipment of new Grand Lodge offices in the City of Hamilton. These debentures were purchased by the Grand Treasurer under the authority of a resolution of this Grand Lodge, unanimously passed at its meeting in July 1956. (See Grand Lodge Proceedings 1956, pp. 184-86 inc.).

To provide all the necessary funds for the acquisition of the site and the erection of these offices, additional purchases of debentures issued or to be issued by Masonic Holdings will be made from time to time by the Grand Treasurer. It is the opinion of this Committee that although the resolution previously cited adequately empowers the Grand Treasurer, in general terms, to purchase, subscribe for, hold, sell or otherwise deal with the securities, mortgages or any obligations of Masonic Holdings, Grand Lodge should ratify and confirm purchases made to date and specify at this meeting, by formal resolution, the total amount of such debentures which the Grand Treasurer may be authorized and directed to purchase under the terms of the aforesaid resolution of 1956.

With relatively few exceptions, for each of which there is a logical reason, all securities are registered as to principal in the name of the Grand Lodge, A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario and registered also as to interest, save in such instances as it was not permissible to do so. All such securities are held in the custody of The Canada Permanent Trust Corporation, of Toronto, in vaults which have the highest protective rating. These conditions are designed to provide the maximum possible protection.

However, your Committee recommends that some acceptable form of authority be set up by resolution duly passed at this Communication of Grand Lodge to provide for prompt disposition by sale, assignment and/or transfer as occasion may require, of all or part of such bonds, debentures, shares and/or any other securities registered in the name of this Grand Lodge.

The income under the General Fund was \$196,417.72, or \$4,017.72 higher than was estimated a year ago. This was mainly due to a greater return on Grand Lodge investments than was anticipated. Total disbursements amounted to \$171,112.55, or \$13,052.45 less than the approved budget. This difference was almost entirely due to the fact that withdrawals from the General Fund for Benevolent Grants during the past fiscal year were approximately \$15,000.00 less than the amount appropriated for this purpose. With slight variations, up or down, other items of disbursements were generally in accord with the budget approved at the last Annual Communication of this Grand Lodge. This indicates a strict and careful control of expenditures by the Grand Secretary's and Grand Treasurer's offices.

Benevolent Grants, made under the direction of the Committee on Benevolence and the supervision of the Supervisor of Benevolence, amounted in total to \$79,069.75, which is \$5,907.25 less than grants for this purpose during the previous year. It was also \$20,930.25 less than the estimates submitted by the Committee on Benevolence in its report to Grand Lodge a year ago. Contributing factors to these marked reductions are the effect of increases in recent years in the amount of Government Old Age Pension payments and the benefits to be derived under the provisions of the Ontario Hospital Services Commission Act. Your Committee further confirms the Grand Treasurer's comment that no cases of need which fall within the purview of the responsibility of this Grand Lodge have been neglected to the slightest degree.

We take the opportunity of again extending a tribute of commendation to the Chairman and members of this Committee, especially the Supervisor of Benevolence, R.W. Bro. George J. McQueen, for the kindly, conscientious and consider-

ate manner in which these important Grand Lodge activities are administered.

In accordance with previous practice, we recommend that the requirements for Benevolent Grants for the current year, estimated at \$85,000.00 be drawn from Grand Lodge funds as follows:

From the General Fund .....	\$ 65,000.00
From the income and invested income of the Combined Memorial and Semi- Centennial Funds .....	20,000.00

The estimate for the current year of income and expenditures in respect of the General Fund, as submitted with this report, provide for an apportionment on this basis.

Your Committee recommends approval of the six special donations made under the authority of the Grand Master and as reported by the Grand Treasurer, namely:

Ontario Society for Crippled Children .....	\$1,000.00
Ontario Society for Retarded Children .....	500.00
Boy Scouts' Association—Ontario .....	500.00
Girl Guides' Association .....	500.00
Canadian Cancer Society .....	500.00
Salvation Army .....	500.00
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Total .....	\$3,500.00

Details of the insurance coverage placed by Grand Lodge and currently in effect have been checked by our Auditor and considered by this Committee. A periodic review of all insurable assets and risks is recommended to ensure that all Grand Lodge property is adequately covered against loss by fire, theft or otherwise. The Committee expresses the opinion that replacement values should be the governing factor in determining the amount and character of the insurance which may be required.

In its review of the matters covered by this report, the Committee has received the full co-operation and assistance of the Grand Secretary, the Grand Treasurer and the Auditor and now formally recommends the adoption, without amendment, of the reports submitted by the above mentioned officers, who are to be commended on the conscientious and faithful performance of their respective duties. The interesting and informative statements which they have presented deserve the thoughtful consideration of all Brethren in this Jurisdiction.

We now present for your consideration and approval, an estimate of Income and Expenditure under the General Fund for the current year:

**ESTIMATED INCOME FOR THE YEAR ENDING  
MAY 31, 1960**

Initiations .....	\$ 12,000.00
Affiliations .....	500.00
Dues .....	130,500.00
Certificates .....	100.00
Ceremonies .....	100.00
Dispensations .....	1,200.00
Commutations .....	10,000.00
Constitutions, Sales of .....	3,500.00
Miscellaneous .....	3,000.00
Refunds .....	3,000.00
Interest on investments .....	31,000.00
 Total .....	 \$ 194,900.00

**ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES FOR THE YEAR  
ENDING MAY 31, 1960**

**Salaries:**

Grand Treasurer's Clerk .....	\$ 800.00
Grand Secretary .....	11,000.00
Asst to Grand Secretary and Supervisor of Benevolence .....	7,000.00
Clerical — Grand Secretary's office .....	13,580.00
Rent .....	1,700.00
Printing, Stationery and Supplies ....	2,500.00
Special Printing for Resale .....	5,000.00
Postage and Excise .....	1,700.00
Furniture and Equipment .....	1,500.00
Canada Permanent Trust Company —Fees .....	550.00
Fidelity Bond and General Insurance Premiums .....	250.00
Reserve for Premium Cont'g. Liability Coverage .....	5,250.00
Auditor .....	1,200.00
Grand Master's Allowance .....	1,500.00
Stenographer .....	300.00
Deputy Grand Master—Allowance ....	670.00
—Postage .....	30.00
Supervisor of Benevolence — Travel- ling Expenses .....	800.00
Committee on Masonic Education ....	300.00
Review of Fraternal Correspondence	600.00
Masonic Relief Association U.S.— Canada .....	500.00
Library—General Expenses .....	400.00
Librarian's Honorarium .....	750.00
Honorary Presentation of Jewels ....	2,500.00
Grand Master's Regalia .....	1,000.00
Testimonial to Retiring G.M. ....	500.00

Allowance—Mrs. W. M. Logan .....	300.00
—Wm. J. Attig .....	2,400.00
Portraits—Grand Master, and frame	1,000.00
Representatives to other Grand	
Lodges — Exp. ....	3,500.00
Conference fees, etc., Washington ....	1,500.00
Grand Lodge Bulletin .....	5,800.00
Publication Fraternal Review .....	1,000.00
Grand Lodge—Preliminary Reports	850.00
Grand Lodge—Proceedings .....	4,800.00
Grand Lodge—1959 Meeting	
Expenses .....	14,000.00
Grand Lodge—Advance Exp. 1960	
Meeting .....	1,000.00
Miscellaneous Expenses .....	3,000.00
	\$ 101,130.00
Benevolent Grants from General Fund .....	65,000.00
Special Charitable Donations .....	3,500.00
Total Estimated Expenditures .....	\$ 169,630.00

### SUMMARY

Estimated Income .....	\$ 194,900.00
Estimated Expenditures .....	169,630.00
Estimated Surplus of Income over Expenditures .....	\$ 25,270.00
Less third appropriation for special reserve to	
cover cost of equipping and furnishing new	
Grand Lodge premises when completed .....	9,000.00
Net Estimated Surplus Income over Expenditures	\$ 16,270.00

The Committee believes that the estimates submitted herewith make adequate provision for all necessary expenditures of this Grand Lodge for the current fiscal year and will enable it to fully meet all its responsibilities and obligations.

All of which is respectfully and fraternally submitted.

On behalf of the Committee,

R. C. BERKINSHAW,  
Chairman.

## SPECIAL RESOLUTION RE SECURITY TRANSACTIONS

R.W. Bro. R. C. Berkinshaw, Chairman of the Committee on Audit and Finance, explained and presented the following resolution which, on his motion, seconded by M.W. Bro. J. A. Hearn, was unanimously carried.

### RESOLVED:

That the Grand Treasurer (or, in his temporary absence from the Province, an Attorney appointed by him) and any two of the following five officers, namely the Grand Secretary; the President and Vice-President of the Board of General Purposes; the Assistant to the Grand Secretary and the Chairman of the Committee on Audit and Finance be and they are hereby authorized and empowered on behalf of the Grand Lodge, A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario, to hypothecate, sell, assign and transfer all or any part of any bonds, debentures, shares and/or any other securities registered in the name of Grand Lodge, A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario, and to make, execute and sign all necessary acts for the hypothecation, assignment and transfer thereof for and on behalf of the said Grand Lodge; and further, to appoint in their place or places instead an Attorney or Attorneys, thereby agreeing to ratify and confirm all and whatsoever the said Attorney or Attorneys or their substitute or substitutes may lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue thereof.

## REPORT OF THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON LODGE BUILDINGS

This report was presented by V.W. Bro. George T. Evans, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by V.W. Bro. Evans, it was received and adopted.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of Grand Lodge, A.F. & A.M., of Canada, in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

I beg to present the Second Annual Report of the Advisory Committee on Lodge Buildings.

Since our report of a year ago, there has been great activity in the planning of new Temples and the remodelling of existing ones throughout the Jurisdiction.

From the time our Committee was organized, we have given advice and assistance to about 35 of our constituent Lodges, and now, hardly a month passes but that two or more Lodges seek information in this connection.

This activity has largely been confined to the smaller centres, many of which are in the northern parts of the province. Many new Lodges with comparatively small memberships are showing great zeal in providing themselves with comfortable quarters in which they take great pride.

Many of our older Lodges, especially in the smaller centres closer to our large cities, would do well to take a hard look at their Masonic quarters to see if they adequately reflect the proud position held by the Masonic Craft in our Province and indeed, throughout the world.

There are, no doubt, many Lodges whose officers did not hear, nor have they read our report of 1958. This is indicated by the fact that, in submitting sketches or making enquiries regarding building, they have ignored or are totally unaware of the enactment by Grand Lodge in 1958 of a list of "Requirements for Lodge Buildings" as prepared by your Advisory Committee. For this reason we think it would be of great value if Secretaries and Masters would read our first report which can be found on page 181 of the Grand Lodge Proceedings for 1958.

We strongly urge that Lodges contemplating new buildings or making even minor changes in existing buildings, should write to the Grand Secretary for a copy of "Requirements for Lodge Buildings" known as Bulletin L.B.-2, BEFORE any move is made to prepare sketches or set up financial arrangements. This will save the lodge officers much time and effort and the Advisory Committee many hours in trying to revise unsuitable plans and in explaining details which are already clearly set out in the Bulletin.

The Grand Secretary will also provide the **Procedure** to be followed in setting up committees, preparing plans, selecting a site, methods of financing, and other important matters. He also has diagram plans of three typical Temple layouts of various sizes showing precisely how the Requirements for Lodge Buildings should be carried out. Copies of these plans may be had free of charge on application to him.

Your Committee has been pleased with the co-operation of the Lodges and the willingness with which they have

accepted our suggestions and alterations to the plans they have submitted.

We congratulate these Lodges on their industry and enthusiasm. We share their joy and satisfaction in providing Temples of which they and the Craft may be justly proud.

We solicit enquiries from all Lodges contemplating building and assure them of our constant desire to offer them every assistance. Needless to say, there is no charge for such services.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted,

GEORGE T. EVANS,  
Chairman.

### **REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE CONDITION OF MASONRY**

This report was presented by R.W. Bro. M. C. Cain, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. Cain, it was received and adopted.

To the Most Worshipful, the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge, A.F. & A.M. of Canada, in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

In these troublous times, when all democratic institutions are passing through the fires of a changing world, it is advisable to pause and reflect on the condition of Masonry in our own Grand Jurisdiction.

Any summary on the condition of Masonry, which is based on the thoughts of others, must be considered from two standpoints, firstly—the source of the information, and secondly—a careful analysis of the thoughts which are presented. This summary is based in part on the available reports of the District Deputy Grand Masters. A careful study of these reports reveal that our District Deputy Grand Masters are men devoted to the welfare of the Craft. They are men who have given of their time and talent to the propagation of Masonic knowledge. They are men who, through their zeal for Masonry, have given leadership in their respective districts. Having established the source of part of our information, we are in a position to carefully analyze the reports. An analysis of the information in these reports must be considered from two aspects, firstly—

the tangible, and secondly—the intangible. The tangible are those ideas which are easy to grasp and to describe. The intangible are those ideas of the spirit or heart, those things which we feel but do not see, and are difficult of expression. Since Masonry is a large fraternity, it is expected that problems are bound to occur. Your Committee feels that these problems should be drawn to your attention, and we trust you will accept them in the same spirit as they are given. Your Committee, mindful of these difficulties, begs to submit a word picture of the condition of Masonry in this Grand Jurisdiction.

The District Deputy Grand Masters, in their reports, express their thanks for the honour of representing the Most Worshipful, the Grand Master. They commented on the gracious and traditional manner in which they were received and indicated the respect and fraternal esteem with which our Grand Master is held in all parts of our jurisdiction.

The reports indicate that the District Secretaries have performed their duties in an efficient manner, often-times rendering extra service which lightened the tasks of the District Deputy Grand Masters. Generally speaking the finances of the Lodges are on a sound basis. Very little reference is made of arrears of dues, which would seem to indicate a real effort is being made to cope with this vexing problem.

The ritualistic work is commented on in various reports and is classed from satisfactory to excellent. Numerous comments were made on the high calibre of the candidates entering the Craft. A few reports suggest that means should be taken to improve the attendance at the regular and emergent meetings.

In the annual report of the Grand Secretary, we note our membership as of the 31st of December, 1957, stood at 134,624. During the year 1958 we had 4,114 initiations; 1,011 affiliations; 240 reinstatements giving us a total of 139,989 members. Against this total we had 2,633 deaths; 1,024 resignations; 864 suspensions and 4 adjustments. These figures indicate an actual membership as of December 31st, 1958, of 135,464 which gives us a net increase over 1957 of 840 members. This net increase of membership is a modest one, being 386 less than 1957. The disturbing factor in this report is the number of suspensions which is stated as 864. On comparing the reports for the last ten years, we note there has been a steady decline in the annual net gain of membership, and an increase in the number of suspensions. Does this indicate a loss of interest in the Craft? This lack of interest may also reflect itself in the

attendance at our regular and emergent meetings. A great many Lodges, especially in the larger centres, have had from a modest to a fairly large increase in membership for the past several years, but the increase of attendance at the meetings, allowing for natural losses, has not increased in proportion to the increase in membership. With this problem in mind your Committee sought advice from widely separated parts of our jurisdiction in an effort to arrive at some solution to this vexing problem. The following is a summary of the suggestions sent to your Committee.

1. Great care should be taken by the sponsors of an applicant to make sure he will find congenial companionship in the Lodge of his choice.
2. The Worshipful Master should appoint only interested and qualified brethren to make a thorough investigation of the applicant. The investigators should be satisfied that the applicant can and will accept the challenge of Masonry, namely, "Masons are men who think deeply, feel nobly, and act their best." Every investigator should be thoroughly conversant with the contents of Booklet No. 1, issued by our Grand Lodge, which outlines what Masonry stands for. The facts outlined in this booklet should be discussed with the applicant, and the booklet should be left in his possession for his further study.
3. A brother, having been received, should not be forgotten. Special efforts should be made to ensure that he feels at home by meeting the brethren of his Lodge.
4. An intelligent Mason is an interested Mason. Our new brethren should be instructed by skilled brethren in the landmarks, traditions, history, symbology and philosophy of the Craft.
5. Many brethren felt that late closing of the Lodge was an important factor, causing poor attendance and lack of interest.

The following suggestions were offered to overcome this factor.

- (a) Careful planning of all meetings.
- (b) Controversial subjects should be thoroughly discussed at the Committee of General Purposes, thereby avoiding unnecessary discussion in the lodge room.
- (c) Meetings should start on time.

(d) Avoid having too many degrees at a meeting. Too much work requires some brethren to forego the pleasure of the banquet hour. One brother aptly stated—"A Mason should be in bed on the same day he goes to Lodge."

6. A Mason, admitted to a large Lodge, finds he is one among so many, and realizes that the possibility of participation in lodge activities seems to be remote and he loses interest.
7. The suggestion has been made that the brethren of the Lodge should be given the opportunity to take appropriate parts of the ritualistic work according to their ability and desire. Members' Nights serve as a means of holding interest in the Lodge and, at the same time, stamp worthy brethren for advancement.
8. Counter attractions such as television were advanced by a few of the brethren, but others felt that, if the main causes as outlined were eliminated, then counter attractions would be of small importance.

You will note that six of the eight causes of lack of interest and poor attendance are under the direct control of the Worshipful Master and his Officers.

Addison has said—"A person who has a firm trust in the Supreme Being is powerful by his power, wise by his wisdom, and happy by his happiness." It might also be said that any fraternity built on the solid foundation of spiritual values will flourish. It is gratifying to note that a District Chaplain was appointed in all districts. All reports indicate his services were much appreciated by the District Deputy Grand Masters and the brethren. It was interesting to note that in some districts the District Chaplain accompanied the District Deputy Grand Master on all or nearly all his official visits. On numerous occasions the District Chaplain spoke at the banquet hour with a message of the eternal verities of life. These same reports indicate that our Grand Chaplain has travelled far and wide in the discharge of his official duties as well as attending many other functions. On many occasions he was the guest speaker, impressing on the brethren that "Masonry is a key to the things of the spirit, an inspiration for daily living by laying out a pattern of life." The District Reports indicate there were thirty District Church Services with attendances which generally brought credit to the Craft. One or two reports indicate that the attendance at the District Service was disappointing. Unfortunately this is true in some of our larger centres where the attendance is not commensurate with the member-

ship of the district. Care should be taken that Lodge Divine Services do not conflict with the District Service.

Generally speaking, benevolence is not a natural feeling of the human heart. "By nature the average man is more prone to be selfish than generous, more inclined to get for himself than to give to others, more ready to claim for himself than to sacrifice himself for others." In Masonry, we have an old adage—"No voice of a brother in distress reaches our ears in vain, and no hand seeks our aid without response." This saying, so dear to the hearts of all Masons, is proven by the report of the Committee of Benevolence. The success of our benevolence is due in large measure to our Supervisor of Benevolence and his excellent committee. Our Supervisor by his tact, understanding and kindness has brought joy and comfort to many of our brethren and their dependents.

Ernest Thompson Seton has said—"Manhood, not scholarship, is the aim of education." This quotation accurately describes the objective of Masonic Education in our jurisdiction. The success of our Masonic educational endeavours is due in large part to the devoted attention and scholarly guidance given to this work by the present and past chairmen of the Committee of Masonic Education. The District Reports indicate that thirty-one of the districts had Supervisors of Masonic Education. There was a decrease in the number of Lodges of Instruction, with a trend to short talks and panel discussions. In districts where Lodges of Instruction were held, the results appear to be encouraging, as was evidenced by the comments that such meetings help to make the ritualistic work uniform in the district by correcting the changes and innovations which seem to creep into the work. An interesting suggestion was made by a District Deputy Grand Master from the northwest part of our jurisdiction—"It is suggested that a School of Instruction be set up at each Annual Meeting of Grand Lodge for members of Lodges in general." It is of some concern to your Committee that the "Syllabus of Instruction", issued by Grand Lodge, is not being used in some Lodges as much as its value merits.

"Reading maketh a full man." Those words of Bacon are just as true today as they were over three hundred and fifty years ago. In reviewing the report of the Library Committee, we note only about one per cent of our membership make use of the facilities of their excellent library. It is suggested that all new Masons be informed of this facility and be urged to use it. Our Grand Librarian informs us that the District Deputy Grand Masters could be of great help by informing the brethren of their districts of the advantages of the library.

It is noted in the district reports that about half the districts have Pastmasters' and Wardens' Associations. In some districts the two Associations are merged, while in others they are separate. In the Wardens' Associations lasting friendships are made. In some of these Associations, speakers address the group on the duties and responsibilities of the Master of a Lodge. These groups usually have a mentor who carefully trains the Wardens in the ritualistic work. Visitations are made when the Wardens exemplify the work. This careful training and practice prepares the Warden for his duties as Worshipful Master of his Lodge and enhances the quality of the work throughout the district. The District Reports indicate in many districts that the Pastmasters' Associations are rendering commendable service to the Craft. They work in close conjunction with the District Deputy Grand Master in sponsoring and arranging Educational Nights. Many have given leadership in such matters as Blood Donor Services and assistance to Grand Lodge when required. The activities of these Associations have materially improved the condition of Masonry in our Grand Jurisdiction.

The District Reports indicate that a fairly large number of Temples was dedicated during the last year. This suggests that Masons are becoming increasingly conscious of the necessity of up-to-date premises for the comfort of their brethren. They realize that the public impression of our Order is, in part, influenced by the physical appearance of our Temples. It is common knowledge that the cost of some Temples was almost halved by the free labour of the brethren and by securing the essential services at cost. The brethren who rendered these services deserve the thanks of their district.

From the District Reports, it is noted that there have been a fairly large number of anniversaries. On almost every occasion the lodge history has played an important part in the work of the evening. This supports the oft-repeated suggestion that the maintenance of an up-to-date lodge history is a duty incumbent on each Lodge. Such records are invaluable for future use and study.

It is with deep regret that we record the disastrous fire at Lanark, Ontario, in which Evergreen Lodge lost its Temple, warrant and records. We sympathize with our brethren in their great loss. An experience such as this emphasize the importance of protecting irreplaceable records against such destruction. It also points out the necessity of re-examining our insurance protection in the light of present day replacement costs.

During this Masonic year it has been the privilege of all the members of this Committee to visit Lodges in widely

scattered parts of this Grand Jurisdiction. Your Committee wishes to express its anxiety regarding the condition in some Lodges of the ancient certificates, manuscripts and records which appear to be undergoing deterioration due to extremes of temperature, dryness and dampness. This Committee respectfully suggests that a careful check be made of these records and suitable measures be taken for their preservation, thereby bringing joy to the Masons of the future.

It is gratifying to note that the memory of our First Grand Master is still green in the minds of the brethren of this Grand Jurisdiction. At the Annual Pilgrimage, on June 21st of this year, at St. John's Church, Woodhouse, in the County of Norfolk, a large representative group of Masons assembled to pay their reverential respect to the memory of a great man. We feel the poet aptly described our First Grand Master when he said—

"He walked the path the great have trod,  
The great in heart, the great in mind,  
He looked through Masonry to God,  
And looked through God to all mankind.  
Learned more than sign, or word, or grip,  
Learned Man's and God's relationship."

The District Reports reveal that our Grand Master, during the past year, has visited many parts of this Grand Jurisdiction. It is noted on these occasions he was received in an enthusiastic traditional manner. It is further noted that, by his friendliness, untiring effort, sage advice and Masonic zeal, he has brought credit to himself and the Craft. As he lays down the gavel of office, the hope of the brethren of this Grand Jurisdiction is that the years which lie ahead will bring him health and happiness, so that he may enjoy the fruits of his professional labours, and still assist in the management of our Grand Lodge.

In conclusion your Committee wishes to state that Masonry is thriving in our Grand Jurisdiction. Our membership has increased satisfactorily. The finances of our Lodges are sound. Many new Temples have been erected and the older ones have been renovated. The spiritual concept of Masonry is well understood and practised. The ritualistic work, generally speaking, is of a high standard. Most of the districts have shown a keen interest in the history, symbology, and philosophy of the Craft. No voice of a brother in distress has reached our ears in vain, and no hand has sought our aid without response. Peace and harmony prevail over our entire jurisdiction. Divine Providence has blessed us in many ways. Surely we have much to be thankful for.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted,  
M. C. CAIN,  
Chairman.

## REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON MASONIC EDUCATION

This report was presented by R.W. Bro. B. B. Foster, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. Foster it was received and adopted.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge, A.F. & A.M. of Canada, in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

Your Committee on Masonic Education is pleased to report its activities in this Grand Jurisdiction for the education year 1958-59 to the One Hundred and Fourth Annual Communication of Grand Lodge.

During the year six General Communications have been forwarded from the Chairman's office to the members of the Committee, to the District Deputy Grand Masters, to the Supervisors of Masonic Education, to the several Lodges, through the courtesy of the District Deputy Grand Masters, and to others who requested them. Five of these communications were accompanied by bulletins containing material designed to be of interest to the Craft and covering subjects related to symbolism, history, and philosophy. The sixth was the usual form for the District report on the work of the year. The Committee wishes in particular to thank R.W. Bro. E. G. Dixon, the Grand Secretary, for sending the interesting and informative article, written by W. Bro. John P. Simpson, entitled "The King and the Craft". This was sent out as the second bulletin. Your Committee hopes that the information it contained was brought to the attention of the general membership, as it was important enough to deserve this treatment.

Continuing the practice of former years, the "Syllabus of Instruction" was prepared, and distributed to all Lodges through the Grand Secretary's office. Each issue covered a three-month period and drew attention to the history of our Grand Lodge, the Manual for Masonic Students and Instructors, the Book of Constitution, and the Annual Proceedings of Grand Lodge. Reports from the District Deputy Grand Masters indicate that many study groups continue to use the Syllabus as a guide for their discussions.

It is a pleasure to report that R.W. Bro. Molson C. Cain, a most active member of this Committee, has held nine very stimulating Lodges of Instruction in the Jurisdiction and has

participated in many "Educational Nights" in his home area of Toronto. We congratulate R.W. Bro. Cain and all those who assisted him, in their successful effort toward continuing education in the symbolism and practices of the Craft.

From the thirty-five District reports, we record with satisfaction the continuing interest in the Manual for Masonic Students and Instructors. We feel, however, that more use should be made of this source of educational material. Perhaps more of the District Deputy Grand Masters could bring this volume to the attention of the members in their Districts. Also from these District reports your Committee must conclude that while some Lodges appear to do little in the way of formal Masonic Education the majority find some way of handling this important phase of Masonic work. It is satisfying to note that there has been a definite increase in the number of Lodge meetings that included some Masonic Education although there were fewer District meetings devoted entirely to this fundamental activity of Masonry. We find also the following suggestions for improving the work next year: (i) Twenty-one Districts favour short talks of five minutes' duration rather than longer ones; (ii) Ten urge more panel discussions open later to questions from members on the sides; (iii) Eight suggest an interchange of speakers between neighbouring Lodges. Your Committee believes that these ideas are worthy of our consideration. Also interesting is the fact that of the thirty-five Districts reporting only four are without a Supervisor of Masonic Education to co-ordinate the work of the District. Your Committee suggests that even where distances are great, a Supervisor is valuable as he can improve both the quality and the amount of the Masonic Education in the District.

Oliver Wendell Holmes said: "It does not matter so much where one stands, as the direction in which he is moving." Lodges should ever be moving toward the goal of a Masonically educated membership. They need not move rapidly; a fairly slow 'one step at a time' policy is by tradition quite satisfactory. There is no such thing as a static Masonry. Masonry is forever the Mason learning, thinking, and achieving, step by step, day by day. Every success opens the door to another opportunity for greater learning, for further progress, for steady improvement. We strive and repeatedly fail, and through this process find the truth that all success is created from the broken pieces of failure. All of our efforts are wasted unless we forever keep in mind that Masonic Education, training, and study must be directed toward the practice of Brotherhood.

Freemasonry, being a science of progressive enlightenment, must of necessity go hand in hand with education. For the Craft to achieve its ultimate objective, every member must, to the utmost of his ability, aid in the Masonic edu-

cation of himself and his brethren. Every Mason must possess some knowledge of the traditions, history, aims, place in the social scheme, and lessons of the Craft. We must all seriously consider the effect of Masonic teaching on ourselves, on our attitude toward God, and on our relationship with our fellow-men.

Education is the cornerstone of our Masonic faith. It unites all of us in our search for truth and light. We should tell our Brethren of our personal discoveries and our advances toward the light, and we should urge them onward in the search. Our annual losses in membership by suspensions would be lessened if we were to do more than we do now in the educating of our members and in making them active educators. Too often we have no designs on our Lodge trestleboards. Our Lodge officers need to use a more creative imagination; the harvest of such action can be great. Masonry's analogy of life to architecture enables the individual to see beyond the menial tasks and to establish a true scale of values. It supplies us with a vision of a complete structure of grandeur and enables us to appreciate the significance of our own contribution. To achieve this vision and this appreciation, we must study. As Aristotle said, "The roots of learning are bitter, but the fruits are sweet."

The Committee would like to express its appreciation to the District Deputy Grand Masters, the Supervisors, and all the Brethren who assisted in the Masonic Education programme. We sincerely hope that they may continue their efforts in the future. We wish also to thank the Grand Secretary for mailing out the Syllabus of Instruction to the Lodges, and the Grand Lodge Librarian for sending along useful material for our work.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted,

BRUCE B. FOSTER,  
Chairman.

### REPORT OF THE LIBRARY COMMITTEE

This report was presented by M.W. Bro. J. P. Maher, for the Chairman, V.W. Bro. B. S. Edmondson, who was absent, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by M.W. Bro. Maher, it was received and adopted.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of Grand Lodge, A.F. & A.M. of Canada, in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

This is the 27th occasion on which your Library Com-

mittee has presented a Report. The first one was in 1932, and since that time, each of the annually-appointed Committees has, by a backward glance, endeavoured to sum up, fairly, just what has been done in its term of office, and also at times has made some suggestion which it thought that the next Committee might consider and appraise. In the following paragraphs, we will give an account of our stewardship.

But first, Most Worshipful Sir, we must express our thanks to you for our appointment to this Committee, for having made us temporary custodians of this most valuable asset of our Grand Lodge, and thereby having given us the opportunity to hold up the lamp of Light and Wisdom as a beacon to guide and help our brethren along well-defined channels whereby they may reach pleasant harbors and safe anchorages along their journeys to the Golden Islands of Truth and Knowledge.

It may be that there are quite a few here to-day who do not know much about our Library. For them, and as a reminder to others, we can say that it is located in the Masonic Temple at 888 Yonge Street, Toronto; that it is a collection of approximately 5,000 volumes,—all of them Masonic. Any Master Mason in this Jurisdiction may borrow books from our shelves; there is no charge to the borrower of out-going books, but just two conditions as to their return: first, the borrower pays the return postage, and secondly, he is to return the books surely and promptly.

Potential users of our Library should also be reminded that the nucleus of this literary storehouse was the very fine collection of Craft literature assembled by M.W. Bro. John Ross Robertson, Grand Master of 1890-91, and who at his death bequeathed this part of his own extensive library to our Grand Lodge.

Of recent years, many donations of books have been made to add to the original collection; many purchases have been made of later published Masonic books, and in this way our Library always keeps abreast of the well-written learning of the Craft. Some of those who have made gifts to us in the past year are:

Brother J. McHaffie, Coronati Lodge, No. 520, G.R.C. 3 issues, Vols. LXIII, LXIX, and LXX of Transactions of Quatuor Coronati Lodge, London, England.

Brother J. McHenry, Delta Lodge, No. 634, G.R.C., 3 vols. History of Freemasonry by R. F. Gould.

Brother William Ludlow, Ionic Lodge, No. 25 G.R.C., 2 vols. Lodge Holyrood House, No. 44 S.C.

V.W. Bro. Frank Elliott, Fairbank Lodge, No. 592 G.R.C., a 7-volume set of the History of Freemasonry by Mackey & Singleton.

From the Estate of R.W. Bro. Lou Redman, P.G.J.W., 5 vols—Library of Freemasonry—Gould, 2 vols—Encyclopedia of Freemasonry—Mackey, 2 vols.—History of Freemasonry in Canada—Robertson.

Added to the above books, a fine framed steel engraving, approx. 28 x 34, of the investiture of Robert Burns as Poet Laureate of Canongate Kilwinning in 1787. To these and other anonymous brethren, this Committee is very glad to place on the record our appreciation of their thoughtfulness and generosity in making these gifts.

In order to give you an idea of the work which our Library has done,—and is still doing,—here are some figures that will tell of the activities by our Librarian during the past 12 months:

Books sent out to borrowers,

(a) local, (i.e. Toronto area) .....	316
outside, (i.e. in Ontario) .....	337
(b) Letters written .....	157
(c) Visitors to the Library and Reading Room .....	576

To the above total must be added the many telephone calls from outside to the Library, asking for information on such things as where one might purchase a Masonic book, where one might find guidance on Lodge or Grand Lodge personages, or perhaps some outsider to the Craft might want a suggestion or two as to how he could gain admission. These are not rare but day to day occurrences. Your Library serves as an information centre, not only for members but also non-members of the Fraternity.

As to furniture, your Committee would like to report that a display cabinet, first suggested in our 1957 report has been manufactured and delivered. This is a fine piece of cabinet work. It has a plate glass viewing top and below it eleven identical drawers, any of which may be displayed under the top glass. In these drawers are being stored ancient charters, regalia and books of inestimable value. Many of these items are over 100 years old. One cannot help but sense that future generations will take a lively interest in such souvenirs of the early days of our Order here in Ontario.

To sum up, our accommodation at 888 is central and convenient; our assembled collection is certainly the best in

Canada and in the first rank with any purely Masonic Library in America. It has been, and will continue to be a most valuable asset of this Grand Lodge, not merely as an exhibit, but as a strong arm in the field of Masonic Education. And here we must mention the good support that has been given to us by so many of the Lodge Secretaries. In their Summons they have so often reminded their members that the Library exists and is ready to serve.

As to the future, we wish to recommend two expenditures. First is the printing of an up-to-date book list. This has been in the process of preparation for some months, and is now ready for the printer. The estimated cost of completing this work is approximately \$150.00. Secondly, a four drawer filing cabinet, legal size, is absolutely necessary to look after our correspondence and records. Such a piece of equipment can probably be purchased for approximately \$60.00.

In closing, we would like to point up the value of our Library by quoting a sentence or two on the subject as written by wise men and thinkers of past years. Joseph Addison, writing in 'The Spectator' opined that "Books are the legacies that a great genius leaves to mankind, which are delivered down from generation to generation, as presents to the posterity of those who are yet unborn;" and Edward Dyer reminds us that "Libraries are the wardrobes of literature, whence men, properly informed, might bring forth something for ornament, much for curiosity, and more for use."

Grand Master, we thank you for having given us the opportunity to be identified with this Committee. We feel that in the past year our Library has well served its purpose, and we wish for our successors an even wider measure of attainment than that upon which it is our pleasure to report to-day.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the Committee,

BYRON S. EDMONDSON,  
Chairman.

### GUESTS SPEAK

During the sessions the following distinguished guests, at the request of the Grand Master, addressed Grand Lodge:

M.W. Bro. Clyde E. Hegman, Grand Master of Minnesota.

M.W. Bro. John M. Littlefield, Grand Master of Maine.  
M.W. Bro. S. Dexter Forbes, Grand Master of Virginia.  
M.W. Bro. Chester Hodges, Grand Master of Ohio.  
M.W. Bro. Lionel J. Robb, Grand Master of Quebec.  
M.W. Bro. Orrin H. Larrabee, Grand Master of Wisconsin.  
M.W. Bro. A. Wayne Reed, Grand Master of Maryland.  
M.W. Bro. Robert L. Aronson, Grand Master of Missouri.  
M. Ex. Comp. Bruce H. Smith, Grand First Principal, Royal Arch Masons of Canada, in Ontario.  
M.W. Bro. Thomas H. Pope, Grand Master of South Carolina.  
M.W. Bro. H. Lloyd Jones, Grand Master of New York.  
M.W. Bro. Cyril H. Colwell, Grand Master of Nova Scotia.

#### REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FRATERNAL DEAD

This report was presented by R.W. Bro. D. J. Gunn, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. Gunn, it was received and adopted.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge, A.F. & A.M. of Canada, in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

Once again we pause in our deliberations to record the grievous losses we have sustained in the passing to the Grand Lodge Above of many stalwart Masons who in other years had been our companions at the Annual Communications of Grand Lodge. Each year the Grim Reaper takes his toll of some of the most distinguished of our number, leaving gaps in our ranks that are not easily filled. It must not be forgotten that Grand Lodge is not only the poorer because of their transition to a higher sphere of service, but many constituent lodges sorrow for those experienced Past Masters

who have been towers of strength in their own lodges as well as having rendered service of great value to Grand Lodge.

Yet we do not sorrow as those without hope, for the teachings of Masonry remind us of our belief in the immortality of the soul. It has been said many times that Masonry is not a religion, but a beautiful system of morality. All who clearly understand its teachings and philosophy appreciate its limitations, and this understanding was most fittingly expressed in his report to Grand Lodge by an eminent Mason who was once Chairman of this Committee:

"As has so often been said, Masonry is not, in itself, an end, it is a means to an end. Freemasonry, if we are obedient to its precepts, can conduct us safe and conduct us far along life's highway, but no philosophy however edifying, no system of morality however beautiful, can reach beyond the finite; one may plant, the other may water, but neither can insure that increase of faith and that growth of grace which have their fruition in the spiritual realm."

These departed brethren for whom we mourn would not wish us to portray them in extravagant terms for they were even as we are, human and fallible. Rather would they wish us to cast over their foibles the broad mantle of a Mason's Charity and to gratefully remember and endeavour to emulate their virtues. The record of their services to Freemasonry is complete, and the inspiration of their achievements remains with all who were happy to call them friends and brethren. While they have passed to the Grand Lodge Above, they yet speak to us in the eloquent words of the poet:

"The Clock of Life is wound but once  
And no man hath the power  
To tell just when the hands will stop  
Now is the only time you own;  
Live, love, toil with a will,  
Place no faith in Tomorrow, for  
The clock may then be still."

There is another and urgent message which our departed brethren have for us, the living. It has been truly said that all human institutions are but one generation removed from extinction and Freemasonry is no exception. The unseen voices of our friends from the Great Beyond are asking us if we are doing all that is in our power to imbue in our younger members the teachings, philosophy and traditions of our Ancient Craft which we in turn received from our fathers in Masonry. Over the centuries, Masonry has lived in constant challenge and perhaps never more so than in this materialistic age, this era of the Atom, with its great

potentiality for human advancement, and its equally great threat of human extinction.

And so with this urgent challenge to us we leave our departed brethren who have finished their course, who have kept the faith and entered into their reward. Their works are not forgotten, and their memories remain with us. Of one or many of these, our honoured dead, we can say:

"His presence lingers on about the room,  
His footsteps echo still upon the floor;  
The brightness of his smile dispels the gloom,  
Though he has slipped away, and closed the door.  
So, biding here today I feel — I know,  
Whichever way his fading footsteps wend;  
A little time, then that way I shall go.  
He was my friend.

The working tools have fallen from his grasp,  
The journey ended for his weary feet;  
Death holds his tired hand in gentle clasp;  
His work is done; his temple is complete."

In grateful appreciation of their contribution to Freemasonry, let us now pay silent tribute to these departed brethren:

**These Tablet Pages**  
 are inscribed and fraternally dedicated  
 in memory of  
**Our Departed Brethren**

**R.W. BRO. F. E. BROWN**

District Deputy Grand Master, 1926.

Born in Hungerford Township, 1874.

Died, August 3, 1958.

Initiated in Nickle Lodge, No. 427, Sudbury, 1902.

Affiliated with Tweed Lodge, No. 239, Tweed, 1910.

Worshipful Master of Tweed Lodge, 1916-17.

Recipient of a Veteran Jubilee Medal.

**R.W. BRO. THOMAS BROWN**

District Deputy Grand Master, 1906-07.

Born in 1868.

Died, April 8, 1959.

Initiated in Forest Lodge, No. 162, Wroxeter, 1892.

Worshipful Master of Forest Lodge, 1899-1900.

Secretary of Forest Lodge from 1901 to 1934.

Recipient of a Veteran Jubilee Medal in 1942.

Recipient of a 60 Year Pin in 1958.

Recipient of a Long Service Medal in 1950.

Recipient of bar to Long Service Medal in 1957.

**R.W. BRO. THOMAS CAMELFORD**

District Deputy Grand Master, 1943.

Born in Paris, Ont., 1880.

Died, November 2, 1958.

Initiated in Amity Lodge, No. 32, Dunnville, 1907.

Worshipful Master of Amity Lodge, 1931.

**R.W. BRO. THOMAS EAKIN**

Grand Chaplain, 1939.

Born in Ireland, 1871.

Died, December 11, 1958.

Initiated in Waverley Lodge, No. 361, Guelph, 1901.

Charter Member University Lodge, No. 496, Toronto, 1910.

Worshipful Master of University Lodge, 1911.

**R.W. BRO. WILLIAM JULIUS FELDKAMP**

District Deputy Grand Master, 1934.

Born in Chicago, Illinois, 1874.

Died, July 25, 1958.

Initiated in Ozias Lodge, No. 508, Brantford, 1918.

Worshipful Master of Ozias Lodge, 1927.

**R.W. BRO. ARNOLD V. GAEBEL**

District Deputy Grand Master, 1950-51.

Born in Hastings County, 1899.

Died, February 13, 1959.

Initiated in Madoc Lodge, No. 48, Madoc, 1930.

Worshipful Master of Madoc Lodge, 1938.

**R.W. BRO. THOMAS GREAVETT**  
District Deputy Grand Master, 1927.

Born in Worthing, England, 1881.

Died, August 27, 1958.

Initiated in Golden Rule Lodge, No. 409, Gravenhurst, 1909.  
Worshipful Master of Golden Rule Lodge, 1917.

**R.W. BRO. MORTON CLEMENT HAWLEY**  
District Deputy Grand Master, 1939.

Born in Brantford Township, Ontario, 1876.

Died, October 22, 1958.

Initiated in St. John's Lodge, No. 82, Paris, 1910.  
Worshipful Master of St. John's Lodge, 1915..

**R.W. BRO. JOSEPH PERCY HENDERSON**  
District Deputy Grand Master, 1935.

Born in Pickering, 1887.

Died, May 29, 1959.

Initiated in Birch Cliff Lodge, No. 612, Toronto, 1923.  
Worshipful Master of Birch Cliff Lodge, 1929.

**R.W. BRO. JOHN ROY HERRINGTON**  
District Deputy Grand Master, 1933.

Born in Kingston, Ontario, 1887.

Died May 16, 1959.

Initiated in Minden Lodge, No. 253, Kingston, 1909.  
Affiliated Richmond Lodge, No. 23, Richmond Hill, 1920.  
Worshipful Master of Richmond Lodge, 1926.

**R.W. BRO. HENRY J. HUGHES**  
District Deputy Grand Master, 1932.

Born in Hampshire, England, 1875.

Died, December 20, 1958.

Initiated in Ionic Lodge, No. 461, Rainy River, 1914.  
Worshipful Master of Ionic Lodge, 1929.

**R.W. BRO. H. G. HUTCHESON**  
District Deputy Grand Master, 1906-07.

Born in Bowmanville, 1872.

Died, June 4, 1959.

Initiated in Fidelity Lodge, No. 423, Port Perry, 1895.  
Worshipful Master of Fidelity Lodge, 1899.  
Acting Master of Cedar Lodge, 1920.  
Recipient of Veteran Jubilee Medal with 60 Year Pin.  
Recipient of Long Service Medal and 50 Year Bar.

**R.W. BRO. WILLIS E. LEACH**  
District Deputy Grand Master, 1951.

Died March 25, 1959.

Initiated in Ionic Lodge, No. 526, Ottawa, 1931.  
Charter Member of Temple Lodge, No. 665, Ottawa, 1950.  
Worshipful Master of Ionic Lodge, 1940.

**R.W. BRO. ISAAC EDGAR LOCKWOOD**  
District Deputy Grand Master, 1934.

Born in Newbliss, 1886.

Died, February 26, 1959.

Initiated in Otter Lodge, No. 504, Lombardy, 1918.  
Affiliated with Fidelity Lodge, No. 650, Toledo, 1930.  
Worshipful Master of Fidelity Lodge, 1931.

**R.W. BRO. BRUCE ROY MINNS**  
District Deputy Grand Master, 1957.

Born in Omemee, 1894.

Died, August 13, 1958.

Initiated in Muskoka Lodge, No. 360, Bracebridge, 1924.  
Worshipful Master of Muskoka Lodge, 1929.

**R.W. BRO. REGINALD MITCHELL**  
 District Deputy Grand Master, 1951

Born in Ontario, 1894.  
 Died, March 15, 1958.  
 Initiated in Stanley Lodge, No. 426, Toronto, 1919.  
 Worshipful Master of Stanley Lodge, 1939.

**R.W. BRO. ROBERT MITCHELL**  
 District Deputy Grand Master, 1942.

Born in Galt, 1876.  
 Died, October 18, 1958.  
 Initiated in Galt Lodge, No. 257, Galt, 1900.  
 Worshipful Master of Galt Lodge, 1904.  
 Affiliated with Keewatin Lodge, No. 417, Keewatin.  
 Recipient of Veteran Jubilee Medal and Long Service Medal.

**R.W. BRO. EDWARD JENNER McCLEARY**  
 District Deputy Grand Master, 1924.

Born in Saint John, N.B., 1876.  
 Died, January 8, 1959.  
 Initiated in Dalhousie Lodge, No. 52, Ottawa, 1902.  
 Worshipful Master of Dalhousie Lodge, 1908.

**R.W. BRO. ARCHIE P. McINTYRE**  
 District Deputy Grand Master, 1949.

Born in Walkerville, 1904.  
 Died, March 29, 1959.  
 Initiated in Windsor Lodge, No. 403, Windsor, 1926.  
 Worshipful Master of Windsor Lodge, 1942.

**R.W. BRO. BENJAMIN FOSS NOTT**  
 District Deputy Grand Master, 1931.

Born in Oshawa, Ontario, 1882.  
 Died, March 28, 1959.  
 Initiated in Lebanon Lodge, No. 139, Oshawa, 1905.  
 Affiliated with Nipissing Lodge, No. 420, North Bay, 1909.  
 Worshipful Master of Nipissing Lodge, 1919.

**R.W. BRO. ROBERT TAIT ROBERTSON**  
 District Deputy Grand Master, 1940.

Born in New Stephenson, Scotland, 1875.  
 Died July 9th, 1959.  
 Initiated in Robert King Stewart Lodge, No. 919, Scotland, 1902.  
 Affiliated with King George V Lodge, No. 498, Cobiconk, 1910.  
 Worshipful Master of King George V Lodge, 1915.

**R.W. BRO. ALEXANDER MARTIN ROLLO**  
 Grand Junior Warden, 1945.

Born in Scotland, 1896.  
 Died, July 4, 1959.  
 Initiated in Ancient Dundee Lodge, No. 49, Scotland.  
 Charter Member Dufferin Lodge, No. 570, Toronto, 1920.  
 Worshipful Master of Dufferin Lodge, 1939.

**R.W. BRO. H. E. RORKE**  
 District Deputy Grand Master, 1918.

Born, 1868.  
 Died, July 20, 1959.  
 Initiated in Clinton Lodge, No. 84, Clinton, 1908.  
 Worshipful Master of Clinton Lodge, 1913.  
 Secretary Clinton Lodge, 1929-1959.

**R.W. BRO. JESSE TAYLOR RULEY**  
District Deputy Grand Master, 1945.

Born in Muncie, Indiana, 1885.  
Died, September 25, 1958.

Initiated in Anthony Lodge, No. 171, Albany, Indiana.  
Affiliated with Adoniram Lodge, No. 573, Niagara Falls, Ont.,  
1920, and Corinthian Lodge, No. 513, Hamilton, 1913.  
Worshipful Master of Adoniram Lodge, 1928.

**R.W. BRO. HAROLD ARTHUR SWALES**  
District Deputy Grand Master, 1943.

Born in Creemore, 1901.  
Died, October 16, 1958.

Initiated in Spry Lodge, No. 385, Beeton, 1928.  
Affiliated with Delta Lodge, No. 634, Toronto, 1930.  
Worshipful Master of Delta Lodge, 1941.

**R.W. BRO. CLARENCE HISLOP TELFER**  
District Deputy Grand Master, 1957.

Born in Ilderton, 1895.  
Died, September 22, 1958.

Initiated in Henderson Lodge, No. 388, Ilderton, 1923.  
Charter Member, Corinthian Lodge, No. 657, Kirkland Lake, 1946.  
Worshipful Master, Corinthian Lodge, 1951-52.  
Affiliated with Doric Lodge, No. 623, Kirkland Lake.

**R.W. BRO. WILFRED de SIDNIA WILSON**  
Grand Steward, 1930.  
District Deputy Grand Master, 1941.

Born, 1891.  
Died, April 8, 1958.

Initiated Friendship Lodge, No. 66, Quebec, 1922.  
Affiliated with Union Lodge, No. 9, Napanee, 1922.  
Worshipful Master of Union Lodge, 1928.

**R.W. BRO. (REV.) STUART WOODS**  
Grand Chaplain, 1911.

Died, June 22, 1959.  
Initiated Goodwood Lodge, No. 159, Richmond, Ont., 1903.  
Affiliated Ivy Lodge, No. 115, Beamsville, 1940.  
Worshipful Master, Henderson Lodge, No. 383, Winchester, 1908.

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**V.W. BRO. CHARLES ALLAN**  
Grand Steward, 1944.

Born in Esquesing Township, Halton County, 1869.  
Died, October 31, 1957.

Initiated in Ionic Lodge, No. 229, Brampton, 1908.  
Affiliated with and Charter Member and Senior Warden of  
Flower City Lodge, No. 689, Brampton.  
Worshipful Master of Ionic Lodge, 1915.

**V.W. BRO. Dr. FRED C. BECKER**  
Grand Steward, 1945.

Born in 1883, at Clifford, Ontario.  
Died, November 4, 1958.

Initiated in Zetland Lodge, No. 326, Toronto, 1912.  
Charter Member of High Park Lodge, No. 531, Toronto, 1915.  
Charter Member and one of the Founders of Melita Lodge,  
No. 605.  
Worshipful Master of High Park Lodge, 1920.

**V.W. BRO. JOHN BLACK**  
Grand Steward, 1937.

Born, Glasgow, Scotland, 1880.  
Died, November 8, 1958.  
Initiated in Carron Lodge, No. 139, G.R.S., 1909.  
Affiliated with Alpha Lodge, No. 384, Toronto, 1910.  
Worshipful Master of Alpha Lodge, 1932.

**V.W. BRO. EDWARD MILES BLACKER**  
Grand Steward, 1949

Born in Brantford, Ontario, 1882.  
Died, October 3, 1958.  
Initiated in Doric Lodge, No. 121, Brantford, 1907.  
Worshipful Master, Doric Lodge, 1917.

**V.W. BRO. JOSEPH MUMFORD BUTLER**  
Grand Steward, 1924.

Born in Kettleby, 1875.  
Died, February 20, 1959.  
Initiated in The Rising Sun Lodge, No. 129, Aurora, 1904.  
Worshipful Master of The Rising Sun Lodge, 1918.  
Recipient of Veteran Jubilee Medal.

**V.W. BRO. ERNEST ALONZO CARSON**  
Grand Steward, 1954.

Born in Vaughan Township, Ont., 1884.  
Died, November 30, 1958.  
Initiated in Vaughan Lodge, No. 54, Maple, 1921.  
Worshipful Master of Vaughan Lodge, 1931.

**V.W. BRO. MILES STANLEY CHAPMAN**  
Grand Steward, 1932.

Born in Pickering Township, 1878.  
Died, May 25, 1959.  
Initiated in Doric Lodge, No. 424, Pickering, 1907.  
Worshipful Master of Doric Lodge, 1911-12.  
Recipient of Veteran Jubilee Medal.

**V.W. BRO. LEO DANSON**  
Grand Steward, 1938.

Born in 1888.  
Died, March 1, 1959.  
Initiated in Mount Sinai Lodge, No. 522, Toronto, 1914.  
Worshipful Master of Mount Sinai Lodge, 1934.

**V.W. BRO. ROBERT GEORGE ENTWISTLE**  
Grand Steward, 1950.

Born in England, 1887.  
Died, April 9, 1959.  
Initiated in Mississippi Lodge, No. 147, Almonte, 1914.  
Affiliated with St. Aidan's Lodge, No. 567, Toronto, 1935.  
Worshipful Master of St. Aidan's Lodge, 1941.

**V.W. BRO. JAMES FARRINGTON**  
Grand Steward, 1947.

Born in Wigan, Lancs., England, 1894.  
Died, May 8, 1959.  
Initiated in Connaught Lodge, No. 501, Mimico, 1915.  
Worshipful Master of Connaught Lodge, 1930.

**V.W. BRO. ROBERT FLATT**  
Grand Steward, 1897.

Born in Waterdown, 1862.  
Died, March 18, 1959.  
Initiated in Waterdown Lodge, No. 357, Millgrove, 1884.  
Worshipful Master of Waterdown Lodge, 1892-93.

**V.W. BRO. ANDREW MILTON GRAHAM**  
Grand Steward, 1949.

Died, March 23, 1959.  
Initiated in The Rising Sun Lodge, No. 129, Aurora, 1935.  
Worshipful Master of The Rising Sun Lodge, 1946.

**V.W. BRO. WILLIAM ALEXANDER GRANGE**  
Grand Steward, 1917.

Born in Napanee, Ontario, 1869.  
Died, June 20, 1958.  
Initiated in Union Lodge, No. 9, Napanee, 1902.  
Worshipful Master of Union Lodge, 1915.  
Secretary of Union Lodge for many years.

**V.W. BRO. WILLIAM HENRY HEDGES**  
Grand Steward, 1944.

Born, 1875.  
Died, January 15, 1959.  
Initiated in Zetland Lodge, No. 326, Toronto, 1906.  
Worshipful Master of Victory Lodge, No. 547, Toronto, 1924.

**V.W. BRO. GEORGE STEWART HENRY**  
Grand Steward, 1925.

Born in King Township, 1871.  
Died, September 2, 1958.  
Initiated in York Lodge, No. 156, Toronto, 1904.  
Worshipful Master of York Lodge, 1914.  
Worshipful Master and Charter Member of Cathedral Lodge,  
No. 643.  
Affiliated with and Charter Member of John Ross Robertson,  
Todmorden and Scarborough Lodges.  
Recipient of Veteran Jubilee Medal, 1954.

**V.W. BRO. WILLIAM HIRST**  
Grand Standard Bearer, 1949.

Born in Meltham, Yorkshire, England, 1879.  
Died, February 25, 1959.  
Initiated in Acadia Lodge, No. 82, Youngstown, Alberta.  
Affiliated with Ionic Lodge, No. 461, Rainy River, 1924.  
Worshipful Master of Ionic Lodge, 1934.

**V.W. BRO. HENRY ALLAN HYDE-CLARKE**  
Grand Steward, 1951

Born in Montreal, 1881.  
Died, October 22, 1957.  
Initiated in Acacia Lodge, No. 561, Ottawa, 1922.  
Worshipful Master of Acacia Lodge, 1937 and 1941.

**V.W. BRO. CHARLES FORMAN LAWRENCE**  
Grand Steward, 1957.

Born in Durham, 1887.  
Died, November 28, 1958.  
Initiated in St. Andrews Lodge, No. 62, Caledonia, 1917.  
Affiliated with Wexford Lodge, No. 683, Agincourt, Prince  
Arthur Lodge, No. 333, Flesherston, Scarborough Lodge,  
No. 653, Agincourt; Charter Member of Wexford Lodge.  
Worshipful Master of Scarborough Lodge, 1947.

**V.W. BRO. HAMNER BURT LLOYD**  
Grand Steward, 1957.

Born in Toronto, 1881.  
Died, August 14, 1958.  
Initiated in Alpha Lodge, No. 384, Toronto, 1909.  
Affiliated with St. Clair Lodge, No. 577, Toronto, 1921.  
Worshipful Master of St. Clair Lodge, 1928-29.

**V.W. BRO. JOSEPH WILLIAM LOWRIE**  
Grand Standard Bearer, 1948.

Born in Lambton County, Ontario, 1880.  
Died, January 27th, 1959.  
Initiated in Huron Lodge, No. 392, Camlachie, 1918.  
Worshipful Master of Huron Lodge, 1926.

**V.W. BRO. TOM MARSHALL**  
Grand Steward, 1952.

Born in England, 1881.  
Died, July 8, 1959.  
Initiated in Golden Fleece Lodge, No. 607, Toronto, 1926.  
Worshipful Master Golden Fleece Lodge, 1937.  
Past President and at time of death Representative of Central  
Masonic Bureau.

**V.W. BRO. DANIEL H. MILLAR**  
Grand Steward, 1953.

Born in Pembroke, Ontario, 1895.  
Died, June 28th, 1959.  
Initiated in Haileybury Lodge, No. 485, Haileybury, 1930.  
Worshipful Master of Haileybury Lodge, 1935.

**V.W. BRO. NORMAN PETER McDONALD**  
Grand Steward, 1958.

Born in Belwood, Ontario, 1890.  
Died, June 25, 1959.  
Initiated Spry Lodge, No. 385, Beeton, 1921.  
Worshipful Master of Spry Lodge, 1930.

**V.W. BRO. WILLIAM MALCOLM McDONALD**  
Grand Steward, 1953.

Born in Kincardine Township, 1889.  
Died, May 28, 1959.  
Initiated in Northern Light Lodge, No. 93, Kincardine, 1926.  
Worshipful Master of Northern Light Lodge, 1934.

**V.W. BRO. GEORGE POLLEY**  
Grand Steward, 1951.

Born in Cathcart, 1895.  
Died, January 6, 1959.  
Initiated in Burford Lodge, No. 106, Burford, 1920.  
Worshipful Master of Burford Lodge, 1927.  
Honorary life member of Burford Lodge, 1958.

**V.W. BRO. GEORGE WILLIAM PORTER**  
Grand Steward, 1959.

Born in Thornhill, Ontario.  
Died, July 5, 1959.  
Initiated in Patterson Lodge, No. 265, Thornhill, 1910.  
Charter Member Ulster Lodge, No. 537, 1917.  
Worshipful Master of Ulster Lodge, 1935.

**V.W. BRO. ROBERT McLAUCHLAN PORTER**  
Grand Steward, 1937.

Born in Perth, Scotland, 1877.  
Died, September 3, 1958.  
Initiated in Royal Arch Lodge, No. 122, Perth, Scotland, 1903.  
Affiliated with Bedford Lodge, No. 638, Toronto, 1926.  
Worshipful Master of Bedford Lodge, 1932.

**V.W. BRO. DUNCAN MUNRO ROSS**  
Grand Steward, 1946.

Born in King Township, 1876.  
Died, May 15, 1959.  
Initiated in Robertson Lodge, No. 292, King, 1919.  
Worshipful Master of Robertson Lodge, 1932, 1933, 1934.  
District Secretary 1945.

**V.W. BRO. DAVID V. R. SAUNDERSON**  
Grand Steward, 1954.

Born in Toronto, 1897.

Died, May 13, 1959.

Initiated in Ulster Lodge, No. 537, Toronto, 1919.

Worshipful Master of Ulster Lodge, 1936.

**V.W. BRO. GUY W. SMITH**  
Grand Steward, 1951.

Born, April 12, 1888.

Died, April 19, 1959.

Initiated in Tuscan Lodge, No. 99, Newmarket, 1914.

Affiliated Wellington Lodge, No. 635, Toronto, 1926.

Worshipful Master of Wellington Lodge, 1934.

Secretary Wellington Lodge, 1938-1946, 1956 to date of death.

**V.W. BRO. ERNEST BURDETTE THOMPSON**  
Grand Steward, 1938.

Born in Hamilton, 1891.

Died, March 10, 1959.

Initiated in St. John's Lodge, No. 40, Hamilton, 1913.

Worshipful Master of St. John's Lodge, 1925.

**V.W. BRO. HERBERT EDWARD WHYLE**  
Grand Steward, 1953.

Born in Bradford, 1885.

Died, October 4, 1958.

Initiated in Simcoe Lodge, No. 79, Bradford, 1907.

Affiliated with Tuscan Lodge, No. 99, Newmarket, 1914.

Worshipful Master of Tuscan Lodge, 1917.

Recipient of Veteran Jubilee Medal in 1958.

**V.W. BRO. WILLIAM H. WRIGHT**  
Grand Steward 1921.

Died, March 22, 1959.

Initiated in Alpha Lodge, No. 384, Toronto, 1908.

Demitted from Alpha Lodge, 1929.

Charter member of Melita Lodge, No. 605 and High Park Lodge, No. 531.

Worshipful Master of High Park Lodge, 1919.

The thanks of this Committee is extended to the Grand Secretary, the District Deputy Grand Masters, and all others who have assisted in supplying the necessary information.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted.

**DONALD J. GUNN,**  
Chairman.

**CALLED OFF**

At 4.25 p.m. the Grand Master declared the afternoon session of Grand Lodge closed, to resume labor at 9.15 a.m. on the following morning.

**CALLED ON**

Grand Lodge resumed labor at 9.15 a.m., Thursday, July 17th, the Grand Master on the Throne.

## REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS

The report was presented by R.W. Bro. J. W. Hamilton, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. Hamilton, it was received and adopted.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of Grand Lodge, A.F. & A.M., of Canada, in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

Your Committee on Credentials begs to report:

There are on the Register of Grand Lodge 613 Warranted Lodges.

Represented at this Communication:

By Regular Officers .....	478
By Proxies .....	58
By Past Masters .....	35
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Total Lodges Represented .....	571
Total number of Delegates registered .....	3264
With a total vote of .....	3879

All of which is fraternally submitted.

J. W. HAMILTON,  
Chairman.

## PRESENTATION OF CERTIFICATE OF APPOINTMENT

Before R.W. Bro. James W. Hamilton left the dais after presenting his report, the Grand Master expressed to him the deep appreciation of the members of Grand Lodge for services rendered for many years as Chairman of this most important Committee and then presented to him a certificate appointing him an Honorary Past Grand Senior Warden of this Grand Lodge. After the applause had subsided R.W. Bro. Hamilton thanked the Grand Master and members for this unexpected honor.

## REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF SCRUTINEERS

V.W. Bro. Robert Strachan, Chairman, presented the Report of the Committee of Scrutineers, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by V.W. Bro. Strachan, it was received and adopted.

To the Most Worshipful, the Grand Master, Officers and Members of Grand Lodge, A.F. & A.M., of Canada, in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

Your Committee of Scrutineers, having been duly sworn in by R.W. Bro. George J. McQueen, begs to report the result of the Elections as follows:

Grand Master .....	R.W. Bro. C. M. Pitts
Deputy Grand Master .....	R.W. Bro. R. W. Treleaven
Grand Senior Warden .....	W. Bro. J. J. Talman
Grand Junior Warden .....	W. Bro. T. H. Hamilton
Grand Treasurer .....	M.W. Bro. W. J. Dunlop
Grand Secretary .....	R.W. Bro. E. G. Dixon
Grand Chaplain .....	W. Bro. M. G. B. Williams

### BOARD OF GENERAL PURPOSES

R.W. Bro. J. N. Allan .....	Dunnville
R.W. Bro. M. C. Cain .....	Toronto
R.W. Bro. R. C. Berkinshaw .....	Toronto
R.W. Bro. B. B. Foster .....	Ridgetown
R.W. Bro. Wellington Smith .....	Fort Frances

All of which is fraternally submitted,

ROBERT STRACHAN,  
Chairman.

The Grand Master declared the above brethren duly elected.

## REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON GRIEVANCES AND APPEALS

This report was presented by R.W. Bro. J. R. Rumball, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. Rumball, it was received and adopted.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada, in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

The Committee on Grievances and Appeals submits its report in the following parts;

### 1. HURON-BRUCE LODGE, No. 611, versus W. BRO. NESBITT M. WOODS.

This case came before this Committee and Grand Lodge in July, 1958. Reference to the report made to and approved by Grand Lodge at that time indicates that W. Bro. Woods was found guilty in the Magistrate's Court for the city of Toronto on a charge of gross indecency and that subsequently a charge of unmasonic conduct was laid in and accepted by the Lodge. The charge in the Lodge was that W. Bro. Woods was guilty of a public crime and misdemeanour involving moral turpitude under Rule 1 (p).

A Commission appointed by the Grand Master, at the request of the Lodge, to investigate the circumstances of the charge reported that the accused was guilty of unmasonic conduct and recommended that he be expelled from membership in the Craft.

A year ago this Committee concurred in the finding of the Commission and recommended that W. Bro. Nesbitt M. Woods be notified to appear at this Communication of Grand Lodge to show cause why he should not be expelled. He has been so notified but he has not appeared.

Your Committee now recommends that W. Bro. Nesbitt M. Woods be expelled.

### 2. ST. CLAIR LODGE, No. 577, versus BRO. GORDON G. HOOPER.

This matter came before this Committee and before Grand Lodge first in July, 1957, and subsequently in July, 1958.

A brief review of the facts indicates that a Commission appointed by the Grand Master, at the request of the Lodge, found Bro. Gordon G. Hooper guilty of unmasonic conduct under Rule 1 (s) in that he was the cause of the dissolution of the marriage between Gladys Hooper and himself solemnized in 1936 and dissolved by a judgment of the Supreme Court of Ontario, 1955, in an action in which the accused was one of the defendants.

A year ago, Bro. Gordon G. Hooper appeared before this Committee on notice to show cause why he should not be expelled. He made further representations and explanations of his conduct and gave reasons for his actions, professing a strong desire to remain a member of the Craft. Your Committee gave careful consideration to the representations made by Bro. Hooper and, at that time, recommended that, pending further investigations, no action be taken until this Communication of Grand Lodge, which recommendation was approved by Grand Lodge and the suspension of Bro. Gordon G. Hooper was continued.

Since our meeting in July, 1958, further investigations have been made in connection with the proceedings in the Supreme Court of Ontario. There is on file in the examination for discovery conducted prior to the trial of the action an admission of guilt by Bro. Hooper.

In view of the admission made by Bro. Gordon G. Hooper, your Committee considers that he has not shown sufficient reasons for the consideration and leniency he has requested and therefore recommends that he be expelled.

### 3. FIDELITY LODGE, No. 575, versus BRO. GEORGE FRASER SKINNER.

Bro. Skinner, a member of Fidelity Lodge, No. 575, was found guilty of unmasonic conduct at a trial held in Lodge in November, 1956, and a sentence of indefinite suspension was imposed upon him.

He had previously admitted being guilty of obtaining a substantial sum of money by deceit, falsehood and fraudulent means and, after trial, was placed on probation by one of Her Majesty's Justices in and for the County of York for a period of two years from July, 1956.

When the case came before this Committee in July, 1957, no action was taken in order to give the accused an opportunity to make restitution. In July, 1958, further consideration was given and the Committee was advised that Bro. Skinner has been able to make only very slight restitution. Your Committee at that time felt that, under the circumstances, there was no alternative but to recom-

mend that Bro. Skinner be notified to appear at this Communication of Grand Lodge to show cause why he should not be expelled. He has been so notified but has failed to appear.

This Committee now recommends that Bro. George Fraser Skinner be expelled.

#### 4. PEMBROKE LODGE, No. 128, versus BRO. JAMES WRIGHT.

The pertinent facts of this case are set out in the Report of this Committee approved by Grand Lodge in July, 1958, (page 180 of the Proceedings for 1958).

Following the recommendation made in that Report, a second Commission was appointed by the Grand Master to investigate the allegations against Bro. Wright, to consider his status in Pembroke Lodge, No. 128, and to hold a new trial, if necessary. The second Commission, after careful review of the proceedings, the correspondence with the Lodge and the Report of the first Commission came to the conclusion that the original letter complaining of the conduct of Bro. Wright and the evidence given and received at the hearing by the Commission first appointed, did not disclose or adequately prove any Masonic offence against Bro. Wright. The second Commission, therefore, recommended that the charge, if any, against Bro. Wright should be dismissed.

Your Committee has again reviewed the record, the proceedings, the correspondence and the reports of both Commissions and has reached the decision that the Report of the Second Commission, dated June 1st, 1959, should be approved and that the charge against Bro. James Wright, if any, should be dismissed. This recommendation is made without prejudice to the right of the brother who made the allegation against Brother Wright in the first instance or anyone else to file a proper charge in proper form disclosing a Masonic offence.

#### 5. PRINCE EDWARD LODGE, No. 18, versus BRO. CLARENCE A. JONES.

The facts of this case are set out in the Report of this Committee made to and approved by this Grand Lodge in July, 1958.

A brief review of the previous Report discloses that at the Fall Assizes of the Supreme Court of Ontario held at the Court House in the Town of Picton in the County of Ontario in October, 1957, Bro. Clarence A. Jones, a member of Prince Edward Lodge, No. 18, was, on his own admission,

found guilty of manslaughter and sentenced by the presiding Judge to imprisonment for a term of several years.

Subsequently, a charge of unmasonic conduct was laid in and accepted by Prince Edward Lodge, No. 18, and the trial was held in that Lodge on March 27th, 1958. The decision of the Lodge, after the trial, was that Bro. Jones was guilty of unmasonic conduct and that he should be suspended for a period of three years.

A year ago, this Committee, after careful consideration of the proceedings and of certain representations made on behalf of Bro. Jones, concurred in the finding of guilt but did not consider that the sentence imposed was adequate. Your Committee, therefore, recommended that Bro. Clarence A. Jones be notified to appear at this Communication of Grand Lodge to show cause why he should not be expelled and that in the meantime his suspension be continued.

Under the circumstances it is impossible for Bro. Jones to appear before this Committee at this time. He has however, been given an opportunity to present any representations and has forwarded a written request for leniency. In addition, Bro. Leonard O. Jones, a brother of the accused and a member of the same Lodge, has appeared before this Committee and has presented a full report on the actions of his brother, the attitude of the Lodge and on the present condition of Bro. Jones, with a request for sympathetic consideration. Having regard to all the circumstances your Committee recommends that the sentence of three years suspension imposed by the Lodge be altered to indefinite suspension.

#### 6. REHOBOAM LODGE, No. 65, versus BRO. ARCHIE McCOLL.

This was a matter which involved neither a charge in the Lodge nor a trial by the Lodge or by a Commission appointed by the Grand Master but arose out of complaints in the nature of charges made against Bro. Archie McColl, a member of Rehoboam Lodge, No. 65, and referred to this Committee for consideration.

These complaints were contained in letters mailed to the Grand Secretary's office. There was some question regarding the soundness of the complaints and the Lodge did not see fit, after making special investigations, to lay any charge or take any action in connection with the allegations. The correspondence was referred to the Grand Master and a Commission was appointed by him under Sec. 54 (a) to investigate the complaints and report in due course.

For numerous valid reasons and due to unavoidable circumstances the investigations of the Commission were delayed. In due course, the report of the Commission was received and considered. Your Committee now recommends that no further action be taken.

#### 7. MANITOBA LODGE, No. 236, versus BRO. GORDON AUSTIN WIGGINS.

Bro. Gordon Austin Wiggins pleaded guilty and was convicted and sentenced in the Magistrate's Court at the Town of Bradford in the County of Simcoe on December 10th, 1957, of the following charges under Section 289 of the Criminal Code of Canada:

Armed robbery, six charges of possession of stolen goods, one charge of breaking, entering and theft, four charges of having unregistered firearms.

He was sentenced at that time to one year definite and six months indefinite, in the Reformatory on the charge of armed robbery with other minor sentences running concurrent to these.

The Attorney-General did not consider the punishment adequate and appealed the sentences with the result that the Court of Appeal for Ontario, by order dated March 10th, 1958, allowed the appeal, varied and increased the sentences as follows:

Seven years on the armed robbery charge.

Nine months concurrent on each of the six charges of possession of stolen goods, but to run consecutive to the armed robbery charge:

One year for breaking, entering and theft charge, consecutive: and

Three months concurrent on each of the four charges of having in his possession unregistered firearms and concurrent to all above sentences.

At the meeting of the Lodge held on May 11th, 1958, the Junior Warden gave notice that, at the next meeting of the Lodge, he would lay a charge of unmasonic conduct against Bro. Wiggins. A copy of the charge was sent to Bro. Wiggins about June 1st, 1958. The notice of motion referring to the charge was published in the summons for the meeting of the Lodge to be held on June 10th, 1958. At that time a charge of unmasonic conduct was presented in open Lodge by the Junior Warden under Rule 1 (g) (h) and (p) alleging that Bro. Wiggins was guilty of the crimes under the Criminal Code as mentioned above.

After discussion it was moved, seconded and carried that Bro. Wiggins be suspended.

While no trial has been held in the Lodge it is evident that Bro. Wiggins has been guilty of unmasonic conduct.

Following the practice adopted by this Committee with the approval of Grand Lodge, in certain cases previously decided where all the requirements of the Constitution and the Rules of Procedure have not been observed but where guilt has been established beyond question, either by the admission of the accused or by conviction in a court of competent jurisdiction, this Committee recommends that the Grand Master and Grand Lodge by virtue of the inherent power and jurisdiction vested in them do confirm the suspension imposed by the Lodge on Bro. Wiggins, and further recommends that he be notified to appear at the next Annual Communication of this Grand Lodge to show cause why he should not be expelled and that in the meantime his suspension be continued.

8 SIMCOE LODGE, No. 644, versus BRO. IVAN B. GROSE.

Bro. Ivan B. Grose, a member of Simcoe Lodge, No. 644 was, on his own admission, found guilty of armed robbery in the Magistrate's Court in the City of Hamilton in that he did, on December 20th, 1957, being armed with an offensive weapon, unlawfully rob one. Mary Ellen Southward, contrary to the provisions of Sec. 288 s.s. (d) of the Criminal Code of Canada.

Bro. Grose pleaded guilty to this charge and was sentenced to imprisonment in the Ontario Reformatory for fifteen months definite and fifteen months indefinite.

Having regard to the serious nature of the offence the Attorney-General did not consider this sentence sufficient and filed an appeal, with the result that the sentence was increased by the Court of Appeal for Ontario on March 28th, 1959, to three years in Kingston Penitentiary.

Subsequently a charge was filed in the Lodge, of unmasonic conduct under Section 1 (p) specifying the charge and conviction above mentioned.

At a regular meeting of the Lodge held on May 8th, 1958, the charge was read and accepted and a request was made that a Commission be appointed by the Grand Master. A certified copy of the conviction was filed.

While there has been no trial by a Commission appointed by the Grand Master, as requested in the resolution of the Lodge, it is clear that Bro. Grose, on his own admission, has

been guilty of unmasonic conduct. Following the practice adopted by this Committee with the approval of Grand Lodge, in certain cases previously decided, where all the requirements of the Constitution and the Rules of Procedure have not been observed but where guilt has been established beyond question, either by the admission of the accused or by conviction in a Court of competent jurisdiction, this Committee recommends, that the Grand Master and Grand Lodge, by virtue of the inherent power and jurisdiction vested in them, do suspend Bro. Ivan B. Grose forthwith and further recommends that he be notified to appear at the next Annual Communication of this Grand Lodge to show cause why he should not be expelled, and that in the meantime the suspension be continued.

#### 9. CORONATION LODGE, No. 466, versus BRO. ALLAN RITCHIE.

Bro. Allan Ritchie, a member of Coronation Lodge, No. 466, Elmvale, was accused in Magistrate's Court in the City of Owen Sound of the theft on June 6th, 1957, of a quantity of mink kits to the value of approximately \$8,000.00. He pleaded guilty, was convicted and sentenced later to a term in jail of five months dating from July 5th, 1957.

There was some delay in the Lodge about taking any proceedings against Bro. Ritchie and considerable correspondence took place between the Lodge and the Grand Secretary's Office, which accounts, in some measure, for the delay in the disposition of the case by the Lodge.

Finally, however, at a meeting of the Lodge held on December 18th, 1958, a charge of unmasonic conduct was presented in the Lodge specifying the above mentioned criminal offence and conviction. This charge was accepted by the Lodge and the Worshipful Master of the Lodge requested that the trial should be conducted by a Commission to be appointed by the Grand Master.

While no trial has been held by a Commission appointed by the Grand Master it is evident that Bro. Ritchie, on his own admission, has been guilty of unmasonic conduct. Following the practice adopted by this Committee, with the approval of Grand Lodge, in certain cases previously decided where all the requirements of the Constitution and the Rules of Procedure have not been observed but where guilt has been established beyond question, either by the admission of the accused or by conviction in a Court of competent jurisdiction, this Committee recommends that the Grand Master and Grand Lodge by virtue of the inherent power and jurisdiction vested in them do suspend Bro. Ritchie forthwith and further recommends that he be notified to appear at the next Annual Communication of this Grand

Lodge to show cause why he should not be expelled and that in the meantime the suspension be continued.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted,

J. R. RUMBALL,  
Chairman.

### REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON BENEVOLENCE

This report was presented by M.W. Bro. J. A. Hearn for R.W. Bro. G. F. Clark, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by M.W. Bro. Hearn, it was received and adopted.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge. A.F. & A.M. of Canada, in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

It is with pleasure that I submit, on behalf of the Committee on Benevolence, the report for the year ended May 31st, 1959.

As you will recollect at the last Annual Communication we recommended that the sum of \$100,000.00 be set aside for Benevolence and from the following report it will be noted that we did not spend the entire amount.

The Financial Report is as follows:

Grants approved and authorized at the last Annual Communication of Grand Lodge affecting 315 applications .....	\$ 74,380.00
Cancellations, refunds and deductions during the year .....	4,382.25
	\$ 69,997.75
Interim grants during the year .....	\$ 7,740.00
	\$ 77,737.75
Expended from Emergency Fund .....	364.75
	\$ 78,102.50

Our Committee held its regular meeting in Toronto on June 12th and 13th with most of the members present, and

during that meeting we dealt with 291 applications, which is a reduction from the previous year, there being 24 new applications.

We are very pleased to report that, due to the new hospital plan for Ontario, many grants were not required and others were substantially reduced. This hospital plan has filled a long needed assistance to defray hospital bills. Interim grants are slightly higher than the previous year but were it not for one particular case which required a very substantial amount of relief we would otherwise have been able to show a reduction in this particular item.

In view of present circumstances we would recommend that the sum of \$85,000.00 be appropriated for Benevolence for the year 1959-1960.

Regarding applications, we still are experiencing some difficulty with the constituent Lodges because they do not send in their applications in sufficient time for proper investigation. Many of these applications were received after the 1st of June and certainly our Supervisor was not able to make contacts; these will have to be dealt with in July at Grand Lodge. We believe that if a change were made in the Constitution requiring that applications be sent in by the 1st of May it would facilitate matters and would allow more time for investigation.

One of the factors in the reduction in applications has been the provision of up-to-date accommodations for senior citizens in the various municipalities, which has been a great source of comfort to older folks and has made them happier because they are nearer their former home and friends.

It has been my pleasure during the year to make several calls with R.W. Bro. George McQueen, our Supervisor of Benevolence, and I appreciate the opportunities to learn from our brethren and families just what our benevolent grants have meant to them.

May I bring to the attention of the Lodges the suggestion made from time to time regarding visits to those members who cannot attend Lodge. From the reports received many of these brethren have not been contacted by Lodges for at least one year, and I am sure that our lodge members would receive a great deal of satisfaction from their calls on their fellow members.

At our meeting our Supervisor of Benevolence made his yearly report, and we were very pleased to see that he has been able to make calls on most of the recipients of Grand Lodge grants. May we extend to him our appreciation for a job well done and let us hope that he will continue for many years in this work for Grand Lodge.

Because of the increase in the cost of living may I once again suggest to the various Lodges that their grants might be increased to help our older folks with their difficulties. This, we are sure, would be much appreciated.

The assistance which we receive from the Grand Secretary, R. Wor. Bro. E. G. Dixon, and his staff, has been of great value to the Committee and I would like to express appreciation to him for his advice and co-operation.

To the members of the Committee may I express thanks for the assistance which they have given to our Supervisor in making calls and reporting on the needs of those located in the various districts; also to the Boards of Relief for their assistance which has been of great value to the Craft. It is my hope that many more of the larger centres will take this method of assisting the Supervisor of Benevolence.

For many years we have been aided in benevolence matters by other jurisdictions than our own, particularly in the United States, Great Britain and our Canadian Grand Lodges. May I record our appreciation for what has been done to take care of those located outside of the Province of Ontario.

During the year we have received a number of small contributions towards the benevolent work of Grand Lodge. These total \$198.83 and have been much appreciated.

The Committee recommends the continuance of our membership in the United States and Canada Relief Association, as we feel that this membership is most helpful.

Once again may I express my appreciation for the privilege of serving as Chairman of the Committee of Benevolence for Grand Lodge and I trust that our work has been carried out to the satisfaction of our members.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted,

GEORGE F. CLARK,  
Chairman.

#### REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON NEW GRAND LODGE OFFICES

This report was presented by M.W. Bro. J. A. Hearn, Chairman, and on his motion, seconded by the Deputy Grand Master, it was received and adopted.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada, in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

This is intended as a continuing or progress report to that presented one year ago.

A year ago we reported the purchase of property at 363 King Street West, Hamilton, Ontario, and the engagement of V.W. Bro. Geo. T. Evans as architect, who was instructed to prepare plans and specifications for the new building.

At a meeting of the Building Committee on January 19th, 1959, we approved the architect's plans and directed him to proceed with detailed drawings and to call for public tenders.

From the best of information available at that time, it was estimated that the approximate cost would be about \$350,000.00. When the final plans were approved and tenders received, it was found that the cost would exceed our estimate by about \$75,000.00 after certain modifications. Tenders had been invited from prominent contractors which were considered by the Committee on July 3rd, 1959.

It should be indicated here that the building planned to house Grand Lodge Offices, is not an office building in a general sense. It is intended, rather, as a Memorial Building. It will be separate and distinct from the average mill-run of office buildings. It will be a headquarters for this Grand Lodge that you will be extremely proud of, and one in keeping with the prestige of the Craft.

Demolition of the old house on the property is proceeding. Contracts have been signed for the new building which will begin immediately.

This year, on July 16th, the members of Masonic Holdings elected the following Directors:

J. N. Allan, R. C. Berkinshaw, Q.C., E. G. Dixon, Q.C., W. J. Dunlop, Geo. T. Evans, W. H. Gibson, Joseph A. Hearn, H. L. Martyn, T. H. Simpson.

To these are added, by virtue of their Office, the Grand Master, and the Deputy Grand Master.

At a subsequent meeting of the Directors, the following were elected:

President—Joseph A. Hearn; Vice-President—R. C. Berkinshaw, Q.C.; Vice-President—H. L. Martyn; Secretary-Treasurer—E. G. Dixon, Q.C.

The Building Committee remains as heretofore. Chairman, R. C. Berkinshaw, Q.C., Walter H. Gibson, Ewart G. Dixon, Q.C., and ex-officio, Joseph A. Hearn, President, Board of Directors, the Grand Master and the Deputy Grand Master.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted,

JOSEPH A. HEARN,  
Chairman.

## SPECIAL RESOLUTION

The following resolution, authorizing and directing the Grand Treasurer to purchase debentures of Masonic Holdings, was presented by M.W. Bro. J. A. Hearn, seconded by M.W. Bro. T. H. Simpson, and was carried unanimously;

“WHEREAS by virtue of a Resolution of Grand Lodge at its Annual Communication in July 1956 (1956 Proceedings pp. 184-6), the Grand Treasurer of this Grand Lodge has the general power and authority for and on its behalf to purchase, subscribe for, underwrite, guarantee, hold, sell or otherwise deal with the securities, mortgages or any obligations of a statutory limited liability corporation, without share capital and on a non-profit basis, with appropriate powers for (1) the acquisition of real and personal property; (2) the operation and maintenance of the same; (3) the disposition thereof if and when no longer required, and (4) having such other supplementary or incidental powers as have been deemed provident and advisable—which corporation is presently known as MASONIC HOLDINGS;

“AND WHEREAS the said MASONIC HOLDINGS has acquired by purchase that certain property known as 363 King Street West, in the City of Hamilton and now proposes to let a contract for the erection thereon of a building or buildings to provide new offices and office facilities which may be required by Grand Lodge for the administration and direction of its affairs and by prospective tenants—all in accordance with plans and specifications prepared by V. Wor. Bro. George T. Evans, architect, and approved by a Special Building Committee of MASONIC HOLDINGS;

“AND WHEREAS the total cost of the said land and buildings to be erected as aforesaid will approximate the sum of \$415,000.00 for which debentures of the said MASONIC HOLDINGS have been or will be issued in due course to provide the funds necessary for the purposes hereinbefore recited;

“NOW THEREFOR BE IT RESOLVED that this Grand Lodge A.F. and A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario, hereby ratifies and confirms all purchases to date of the debentures of the said MASONIC HOLDINGS and specifically authorizes and directs the Grand Treasurer in the exercise of his powers as aforesaid to borrow, if necessary, moneys to purchase, and to purchase, hold and otherwise dispose of the same from time to time and as occasion may require, up to but not exceeding the total amount of four hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars, (\$475,000.00) for the

purpose and intent of providing in the City of Hamilton, in the Province of Ontario, adequate and appropriate premises and administration offices, in accordance with the general character, efficiency and effect of the plans and specifications which have been duly approved as aforesaid, all in keeping with the prestige, importance and standing of this Grand Lodge jurisdiction in the Masonic Order throughout the world."

## SPECIAL REPORT ON REDESIGNATION OF THE SIX TORONTO DISTRICTS

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M., of Canada, in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

Meeting of the six D.D.G.M.'s. of the Toronto area with the D.G.M. was held at the Royal York, Toronto, on Saturday, January 31st, 1959, commencing with luncheon at 12.30 p.m.

Present:

Rt. Wor. Bro. Glenford W. Carrow, Toronto District A-1  
 Rt. Wor. Bro. David A. Peters, Toronto District A-2  
 Rt. Wor. Bro. Thos. W. Salmon, Toronto District B-1  
 Rt. Wor. Bro. Robert L. Elsie, Toronto District B-2  
 Rt. Wor. Bro. Harold F. Norman, Toronto District C  
 Rt. Wor. Bro. Donald H. Graham, Toronto District D

Rt. Wor. Bro. C. M. Pitts, D.G.M.—Convener

The matter of the designation of the Toronto Districts having been referred by the Grand Master to this Committee, after full discussion it was unanimously agreed that it be recommended to the Grand Master that the present designations in the Toronto Area be revised as follows:

Toronto District A-1 to become Toronto District 1	
Toronto District A-2 to become Toronto District 2	
Toronto District B-1 to become Toronto District 3	
Toronto District B-2 to become Toronto District 4	
Toronto District C to become Toronto District 5	
Left open for present	6
Toronto District D to become Toronto District 7	

and these changes to take effect at the Annual Communication of Grand Lodge in 1960.

It was pointed out that if the changes were to be made to take effect at Grand Lodge in July it would be necessary

to advise the regalia manufacturers so that the new D.D.G.M. regalia would reflect the new District designations.

After a general discussion of Masonic affairs in the Toronto area all of which seemed to indicate a healthy and happy condition, the meeting adjourned at 3.30 p.m. after receiving the thanks of the D.G.M. to all for their presence and co-operation.

C. M. PITTS,  
D.G.M.

On motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. G. W. Carrow, the report and recommendations contained therein were received and adopted.

### REPORT OF BLOOD DONORS' COMMITTEE

This report was presented by R.W. Bro. F. D. Shannon, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. Shannon, it was received and adopted.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge, A.F. & A.M., of Canada, in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

The Masonic Blood Donors' Committee begs leave to present this its Second Report, to the One Hundred and Fourth Annual Communication of Grand Lodge.

Again, we are happy to report, with satisfaction, the success of the activities of this Committee. From all parts of the Jurisdiction, Masons are giving of their life blood to help those in need. Blood is used much more frequently at the present time, in the care of injured, as well as in Medicine and Surgery, than was the case a few years ago. Advancement in techniques of grouping and administration have made the giving of blood a safe and very useful method of treatment in the saving of life and in restoring health.

The Canadian Red Cross is extending its Tranfusion Service over the whole province, and now serves most of the larger centres. This Service is merely providing the channel by which blood is taken from the donor and carried to the recipient. The Red Cross derives no monetary benefit from your donation, making no charge to the recipient. Your

blood is supplied free to anyone who needs it, the only expense being a hospital service charge. Our purpose, then, is to keep the Red Cross Bank full, so that you or I, or anyone who might, at anytime, be in need, may be supplied with as little or as much blood as might be required.

During the past year we have received reports from 81 Lodges, which comprise a membership of 18,000 Masons. Of these about 3,000 are registered as Donors, or one out of every six members. We do, of course, fully appreciate the fact that this figure includes some who are over the age limit, in ill health, or for occupational reasons are prevented from giving blood. Tweed Lodge, which has a total membership of 150, lists 65 donors, and Bro. Marsh is to be commended on his plans to transport them 25 miles to Belleville to enable them to give their blood.

Of the other 527 Lodges, comprising 117,000 Masons, we have no information. The Committee Chairmen just failed to report. This condition seems to prevail particularly in the larger centres. From the 6 Toronto Districts which contain 121 Lodges, only 4 reported any active donors. Only one Lodge in each of the Ottawa and Peterborough Districts have donors. There are no Masonic Donors in Ontario, Niagara A, Sarnia or Prince Edward Districts. Bro. Plummer of Ashlar Lodge, Ottawa, suggests that better results might be obtained by having some supervision at the district level. This should be considered by next years committee. If all Lodges had reported proportionately, we would have had 21,000 Masonic Donors in this Grand Jurisdiction.

Finally, we wish to express our thanks and gratitude to the Grand Secretary, and his staff, for their help and support during the year.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted,

FRANK SHANNON,  
Chairman.

#### REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON PRINTING AND SUPPLIES

This report was presented by R.W. Bro. H. S. Johnston, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. Johnston, it was received and adopted.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Canada, in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

Your Committee on Printing and Supplies, composed of R.W. Bros. K. N. McDonald, K. Freeman, B. C. Martin, J. C. Walden, W. H. Carr and the Chairman, begs leave to present the report of the expenditures for printing and supplies for the year ended May 31st, 1959, as follows:

Constitutions for re-sale .....	\$ 3,036.17
Booklets, Works, Installation Ceremonies, for re-sale .....	322.41
Proceedings and Postage .....	4,699.89
Grand Lodge Bulletins (3 issues and postage) ....	5,609.39
Printed forms, circulars, records, office stationery and supplies .....	2,130.75
Syllabus for Masonic Education (3) .....	84.40
Fraternal Reviews (2,900) .....	1,361.08
Preliminary Reports (3,300) .....	780.45
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	\$ 18,024.54

Included in the above is the cost of the Reviews and Preliminary Reports amounting to \$2,141.53. Without this addition, the amount expended is down \$2,642.33 from last year, as supplies of the Work and Installation Ceremonies were printed in 1958 and no more were required this year.

We again record our appreciation to the Chairmen of the various Committees for their co-operation in getting their reports in promptly. This is a great help.

In closing, may we say a very sincere thank you to our most efficient and courteous Grand Secretary for his never-ending kindness and consideration at all times.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted.

H. S. JOHNSTON,  
Chairman.

## DISPOSAL OF NOTICES OF MOTION

In accordance with notice duly given, M.W. Bro. N. C. Hart moved, seconded by M.W. Bro. T. H. Simpson, that the Constitution of Grand Lodge be amended as follows.

- (1) Section 14. The place at which the next Annual Communication of Grand Lodge is to be held shall be determined by the Board of General Purposes.
- (2) Section 62.
  - (a) In case of the death, resignation or permanent disability of the Grand Master, the Deputy Grand Master shall act, ex-officio, as Grand Master until the next meeting of Grand Lodge, at which meeting the vacancy shall be filled for the unexpired term by election.
  - (b) In case of the temporary disability, by absence or otherwise, of the Grand Master, the Deputy Grand Master shall act, ex-officio, until the Grand Master shall resume his duties.
  - (c) In the event of the death, resignation, or permanent or temporary disability of both the Grand Master and the Deputy Grand Master, then the Immediate Past Grand Master, or if he decline or be disabled, then the next Immediate Past Grand Master not disabled, shall act, ex-officio, as Grand Master until the disability is removed or until the next annual meeting of Grand Lodge, at which meeting all vacancies then existing shall be filled by election for the unexpired portions of their respective terms.
  - (d) Vacancies in all other elective offices shall be filled by election at the next annual meeting of Grand Lodge, until which time they shall be filled by appointment by the Grand Master.

The amendments were adopted unanimously.

### GRAND CHAPLAIN'S REPORT

This report was presented by R.W. Bro. R. S. Skinner, Grand Chaplain, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. Skinner, it was received and adopted.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M., of Canada, in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

My term of office has been rather a busy one, but also a very pleasant one. It has been a great experience indeed, one that I shall not forget. I consider it a great privilege and honour to have been able to serve the Craft as Grand Chaplain and wish to thank Grand Lodge for the

honour bestowed upon me. I hope, that I have, at least to some degree, upheld the ideals and traditions of this high office, by carrying out the wishes of Grand Lodge. I realize, only too well, that there are many things that might have been done, and places visited, but time and circumstances do not permit an active clergyman to do all that he would like to do.

It has been the wish of Grand Lodge to bring about a deeper spirit of fellowship and understanding between the Craft and the Church. This I have tried to do during my term of office, and I believe with some success. Last year only twenty-five districts had ordained men as District Chaplains. This year only three districts failed to appoint ordained men as District Chaplains. Next year, I hope, will see every district with an ordained man as District Chaplain.

The success of the above increase in ordained men as District Chaplains does not rest entirely with me. The greater part of this success must go to the D.D.G.M's. of the districts. Some D.D.G.M's. appointed laymen. I wrote to them and asked them to try and appoint a clergyman and in response all but three did so. I would like to thank the D.D.G.M's. for the wonderful co-operation I received from them. They were a great help to me in carrying out my duties. I have received reports from many and find that nearly all, if not all, have held District Divine Services. I am sure that Grand Lodge will be pleased to hear this, as this is one of the ways we can bring the Church and the Craft closer together.

Now a word of thanks to the Chaplains. First, my sincere thanks to V. Wor. Bro. W. R. Alps, Assistant Grand Chaplain, for taking over when I was unable to be present; secondly, to the District Chaplains for their untiring efforts in supporting their D.D.G.M. on his official visits and at other times and in planning the Divine Service. I have attended a good number of these Services and they were a credit to the Craft. I feel quite sure that each of them has carried out the wishes of Grand Lodge.

You will notice that I have not given much in the way of a detailed statement as to my visits, etc. May it suffice to say that I have given as much time as I could, maybe more than I should, sometimes at a sacrifice to my church people, and I do want to thank them for their kindly understanding and tolerance. On all my visits, I tried to impress upon the minds of the brethren the importance of the deeper things of life, by which alone we can hope to ascend to that Grand Lodge Above, where time shall be no more.

Finally, I should like to express my thanks to the Grand Secretary for his assistance. I assure him it was deeply appreciated.

To my successor, I wish him the same joy that has been mine during this past year. If at anytime I can be of any assistance to him, I hope he will feel free to call upon me.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted.

R. S. SKINNER.

Grand Chaplain.

## INSTALLATION OF THE GRAND MASTER

The installation of R.W. Bro. Clarence MacLeod Pitts as Grand Master was conducted by M.W. Bro. Frank A. Copus, Past Grand Master; assisted by other Past Grand Masters.

## INSTALLATION OF THE DEPUTY GRAND MASTER

The Deputy Grand Master-elect, R.W. Bro. Russell W. Treleaven, was installed by M.W. Bro. W. J. Dunlop, Past Grand Master, assisted by other Past Grand Masters.

## DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MASTERS

The Grand Secretary read the names of the brethren who had been selected in the various Districts to serve as District Deputy Grand Masters. The Grand Master confirmed the selections and directed that they be installed and invested.

District	D.D.G.M.	Address
Algoma .....	H. J. Coe .....	Terrace Bay
Brant .....	S. E. Painter .....	Brantford
Bruce .....	R. A. De Long .....	Southampton
Chatham .....	H. B. Sands .....	Wallaceburg
Eastern .....	D. S. MacPhee .....	Vankleek Hill
Frontenac .....	A. Bruce Caughey .....	Stella
Georgian .....	R. N. Walker .....	Camp Borden
Grey .....	Bruce R. R. Fife .....	Grand Valley

Hamilton "A" .....	J. E. Piercy .....	Hamilton
Hamilton "B" .....	H. A. Martindale .....	Caledonia
London .....	J. C. Sutherland .....	London
Muskoka - Parry Sound	W. E. McDonald .....	Gravenhurst
Niagara "A" .....	W. W. MacDonald .....	Thorold
Niagara "B" .....	W. J. Stonehouse .....	Niagara Falls
Nipissing East .....	A. S. R. Easey .....	North Bay
Nipissing West .....	M. F. Lees .....	Blind River
North Huron .....	K. H. Saxton .....	Wingham
Ontario .....	E. F. R. Osborne .....	Newcastle
Ottawa .....	P. W. Collins .....	Cobden
Peterborough .....	C. S. Browne .....	Peterborough
Prince Edward .....	L. D. McMaster .....	Trenton
Sarnia .....	Harry Russell .....	Sarnia
South Huron .....	W. G. Treble .....	Goderich
St. Lawrence .....	Harry Trueman .....	Lansdowne
St. Thomas .....	N. E. Rolling .....	St. Thomas
Temiskaming .....	D. J. Patterson .....	Englehart
Toronto "A-1" .....	E. A. Rowe .....	Port Credit
Toronto "A-2" .....	John Urquhart .....	Toronto
Toronto "B-1" .....	T. J. Arthur .....	Toronto
Toronto "B-2" .....	W. H. Saunders .....	Toronto
Toronto "C" .....	H. T. Blumsom .....	Toronto
Toronto "D" .....	A. E. Calverley .....	Islington
Victoria .....	Cephas Doherty .....	Beaverton
Wellington .....	B. J. Omand .....	New Hamburg
Western .....	C. C. Galloway .....	Keewatin
Wilson .....	B. M. McCall .....	Embroy
Windsor .....	G. E. Turner .....	Windsor

## INSTALLATION OF DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MASTERS

The District Deputy Grand Masters were installed and invested by M.W. Bro. F. A. Copus, assisted by other Past Grand Masters.

## INSTALLATION OF OTHER OFFICERS

The other Grand Lodge officers were then installed and invested by M.W. Bro. C. S. Hamilton.

## APPOINTMENT OF GRAND REGISTRAR

The Grand Master announced that as there had been no nomination for the office of Grand Registrar he was appointing R.W. Bro. E. J. McKeever of Port

Hope to that office. R.W. Bro. McKeever was then installed and invested by M.W. Bro. C. S. Hamilton.

### APPOINTED MEMBERS OF THE BOARD

The Grand Master appointed the following brethren as members of the Board of General Purposes:

V.W. Bro. A. C. Ashforth .....	Toronto
R.W. Bro. W. K. Bailey .....	Toronto
R.W. Bro. T. J. Donnelly .....	Kingston
V.W. Bro. B. S. Edmondson .....	Oshawa
V.W. Bro. G. T. Evans .....	Hamilton

### APPOINTMENTS TO OFFICE

Grand Senior Deacon, V.W. Bro. F. M. Cass, Winchester.

Grand Junior Deacon, V.W. Bro. M. S. Gooderham, Toronto.

Grand Supt. of Works, V.W. Bro. A. P. Rutherford, Hawkesbury.

Grand Dir. of Ceremonies, V.W. Bro. Birkett Lishman, Ottawa.

Ass't. Grand Chaplain, V.W. Bro. Rev. Robertson Millar, Martintown.

Ass't. Grand Chaplain, V.W. Bro. Rev. G. A. Shields, Talbotville.

Ass't. Grand Secretary, V.W. Bro. G. W. Green, Ottawa.

Ass't. Grand Dir. of Ceremonies, V.W. Bro. D. H. Felker, Hamilton.

Grand Sword Bearer, V.W. Bro. H. L. Ritchie, Acton.

Grand Organist, V.W. Bro. J. H. Bailey, Gore Bay.

Ass't. Grand Organist, V.W. Bro. A. C. Wilson, Scarboro.

Grand Pursuivant, V.W. Bro. G. N. Walker, Toronto.

### GRAND STEWARDS

V.W. Bro. W. F. Aitchison .....	Schomberg
" " L. N. Allen .....	London
" " R. Arnold .....	Toledo

”	”	John Balchin .....	Ottawa
”	”	Charles Bibby .....	Sudbury
”	”	H. W. Ballantyne .....	St. Catharines
”	”	L. F. Bodkin .....	Aylmer
”	”	T. E. Brant .....	Walkerton
”	”	Frank Brown .....	Ansonville
”	”	G. Foster Bray .....	Toronto
”	”	Herman Briers .....	Thedford
”	”	Samuel Chamberlain .....	Toronto
”	”	Robert Clark .....	Galt
”	”	T. J. Cuthbert .....	Colborne
”	”	M. R. Davidson .....	Belleville
”	”	W. H. Dilworth .....	St. George
”	”	R. O. Drinkwalter .....	Toronto
”	”	John Eckford .....	Cobden
”	”	Frank Elliott .....	Toronto
”	”	W. G. Ellison .....	Markdale
”	”	J. S. Ferguson .....	Sault Ste. Marie
”	”	C. V. Fleury .....	Woodbridge
”	”	W. J. Forrester .....	Toronto
”	”	E. C. Fowler .....	Toronto
”	”	Abraham Fox .....	Toronto
”	”	W. Graystone .....	Preston
”	”	A. C. Gerrard .....	Toronto
”	”	G. H. Gibson .....	Wroxeter
”	”	W. B. Guthrie .....	Newboro
”	”	P. B. Halpenny .....	Ottawa
”	”	S. P. Hannah .....	Oakville
”	”	W. M. Hargraft .....	Toronto
”	”	J. J. Hogarth .....	Parry Sound
”	”	T. W. Horn .....	Toronto
”	”	C. A. Hoyle .....	Harrietsville
”	”	C. M. Hunter .....	London
”	”	W. J. Hutchison .....	Toronto
”	”	W. J. Jelly .....	North Augusta
”	”	W. J. B. Kay .....	Burlington
”	”	J. C. Long .....	Innerkip
”	”	C. N. Lundy .....	Niagara Falls
”	”	T. M. Maltby .....	Toronto
”	”	D. M. Martin .....	Harrow
”	”	J. E. Mastine .....	Belleville
”	”	J. W. Meek .....	Toronto
”	”	J. G. Meldrum .....	Toronto
”	”	J. W. Millar .....	Toronto
”	”	C. V. Miller .....	Toronto
”	”	H. F. Morren .....	Barrie
”	”	H. R. Morris .....	Toronto
”	”	J. R. McFarland .....	Ottawa
”	”	G. E. McKelvie .....	New Liskeard
”	”	Hugh McLennan .....	Port Arthur
”	”	G. M. McLeod .....	Atikokan
”	”	D. N. McRae .....	Alexandria
”	”	W. V. Nurse .....	Florence

”	”	J. A. Perry .....	Fort William
”	”	G. A. Revell .....	Cornwall
”	”	J. A. Robertson .....	Toronto
”	”	W. C. D. Scott .....	Kinmount
”	”	Alex Shaw .....	Windsor
”	”	T. J. Shea .....	Toronto
”	”	H. I. Sparling .....	St. Marys
”	”	G. H. Veale .....	Kingston
”	”	W. H. Vickers .....	Burlington
”	”	J. J. Walford .....	Toronto
”	”	G. T. Walters .....	Napanee
”	”	G. M. Watson .....	Toronto
”	”	A. M. Weir .....	Norwood
”	”	C. B. Westman .....	Granton
”	”	Percy T. Wood .....	Hamilton
”	”	W. C. Wright .....	Toronto

### GRAND STANDARD BEARERS

V.W. Bro. J. J. Madill .....	Thornhill
” ” R. B. Douglas .....	Toronto

### TESTIMONIAL TO RETIRING GRAND MASTER

It was moved by M.W. Bro. W. J. Dunlop, seconded by M.W. Bro. J. A. McRae, and unanimously carried, that the Grand Master appoint a committee to procure a suitable testimonial, at the expense of Grand Lodge, for the retiring Grand Master, M.W. Bro. H. L. Martyn.

### VOTE OF THANKS

On motion of M.W. Bro. J. P. Maher, seconded by M.W. Bro. C. S. Hamilton, it was unanimously resolved: That this Grand Lodge extends its sincere thanks to the Mayor and citizens of Toronto, to the Board of Education, to the Police Department, to the lodges of the six Toronto Districts, to the Local Committee on Arrangements and to all other officials for the kindness shown to the officers and delegates; and that a copy of this resolution be sent to the several committees and officials.

## GRAND LODGE CLOSED

The Grand Master, having announced that the labors of Grand Lodge were concluded, called on the Grand Chaplain to invoke the blessing of the Most High upon the Craft.

Grand Lodge was declared closed in Ample Form at 12.20 noon, of Thursday, July 16th, 1959.



Grand Secretary





## RETURNS OF LODGES AS

For Secretary's Address look first at list of Special Addresses, Page 244 to 251  
 Lodges marked (a) hold their Installation of Officers on or near the Festival  
 The names of the W. M. and Secretary

No. of Lodge	Lodge	Where Held	W. Master	Secretary
21 aNiagara	Niagara-on-Lake	W. T. Bishop	A. G. Hall	
81 aAnc. St. John's	Kingston	W. H. Gummer	T. J. Donnelly	
51 aSussex	Brockville	James Eadie	R. H. Wallace	
61 aThe Barton	Hamilton	J. N. Fenton	J. E. Piercy	
71 Union	Grimsby	John Aiken	Vernon Tuck	
91 aUnion	Napanee	J. D. Coakwell	G. T. Walters	
101 aNorfolk	Simcoe	B. F. Johnson	G. F. Anger	
111 aMoiria	Belleville	Harry Bailey	H. C. McElrath	
141 aTrue Britons'	Perth	R. C. Braley	J. C. Emerson	
151 St. George's	St. Catharines	W. A. Barnes	W. E. Thompson	
161 aSt. Andrew's	Toronto	S. M. Ketcheson	S. M. Sinclair	
171 St. John's	Cobourg	W. A. Woods	H. R. Quantrill	
181 aPrince Edward	Picton	J. V. Graydon	C. C. Spencer	
201 aSt. John's	London	B. I. Maguire	W. H. Kipp	
211 aSt. John's	Vankleek Hill	Ivan Sproule	G. D. Watson	
221 aKing Solomon's	Toronto	L. S. Thomson	H. F. Sutton	
231 Richmond	Richmond Hill	N. A. Todd	H. W. R. Sayers	
241 aSt. Francis	Smiths Falls	G. E. McInnis	G. P. Marshall	
251 aIonic	Toronto	R. A. Kingston	A. A. Evans	
261 aOntario	Port Hope	R. J. Hughes	E. J. McKeever	
271 aStrict Observance	Hamilton	R. F. Billington	B. W. Sharpe	
281 aMount Zion	Kemptville	J. K. Forbes	H. D. Hyndman	
291 aUnited	Brighton	B. N. Seaborne	J. H. Morrow	
301 aComposite	Whitby	G. E. Gouldburn	W. G. Augustus	
311 aJerusalem	Bowmanville	W. Teeple	J. S. Emmerson	
321 aAmity	Dunnville	R. B. King	T. G. Hasler	
331 aMaitland	Goderich	H. W. Shore	C. J. Worsell	
341 aThistle	Amherstburg	Keith Arner	Geo. Somerton	
351 aSt. John's	Cayuga	R. R. Hedley	R. M. Murphy	
371 aKing Hiram	Ingersoll	E. C. Johnson	H. R. Nagle	
381 aTrent	Trenton	H. F. Burke	V. P. Carswell	
391 aMount Zion	Brooklin	John Mitchell	W. G. Manning	
401 aSt. John's	Hamilton	M. Birthelmer	C. E. Heal	
411 aSt. George's	Kingsville	W. J. Covell	Maurice Snook	
421 aSt. George's	London	G. A. Roberts	D. A. McDonald	
431 King Solomon's	Woodstock	Jack Hargreaves	A. W. Massie	
441 aSt. Thomas	St. Thomas	A. V. Levack	N. E. Rolling	
451 aBrant	Brantford	C. J. Batson	H. H. Clark	
461 aWellington	Chatham	Vester Sloan	H. D. Paulucci	
471 aGreat Western	Windsor	E. C. Shaw	Albert Campbell	
481 aMadoc	Madoc	R. F. Dafoe	E. T. Nayler	
501 aConsecon	Consecon	Roy Clark	F. R. Taylor	
521 Dalhousie	Ottawa	Gordon Earnshaw	B. Lishman	
541 aVaughan	Maple	N. C. Payne	W. O. Hallawell	
551 aMerrickville	Merrickville	Edwin Pitcher	M. G. Corbett	
561 aVictoria	Sarnia	F. L. Brooks	A. D. McMurtrie	
571 aHarmony	Binbrook	G. R. Hunt	Geo. R. Bell	
581 Doric	Ottawa	J. E. Green	R. F. Tubman	
611 aAcacia	Hamilton	J. B. Simpson	D. R. Shaw	
621 aSt. Andrew's	Caledonia	G. G. Thompson	T. J. Hicks	
631 St. John's	Carleton Place	D. H. Menzies	F. A. MacTavish	
641 aKilwinning	London	G. H. Richardson	E. C. Smith	
651 aRehobaam	Toronto	L. W. Turnbull	F. R. Workman	
661 aDurham	Newcastle	J. T. Brown	C. J. Allin	
681 aSt. John's	Ingersoll	S. S. Bland	J. W. Dean	
691 Stirling	Stirling	C. E. Bateman	Volney Richardson	

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No. of Lodge	Night of Meeting	Initiated	Passed	Raised	Joined	Restored	Resigned	Deaths	Suspend.	Members 31 Dec.
2	1st Wednesday	6	8	8	1		1	3		259
3	1st Thursday	12	15	15	1		3	12	2	406
5	3rd Monday	8	10	18	4		1	10	4	488
6	2nd Wednesday	5	5	6	1		2	20		378
7	Thu. on or before F.M.	6	4	3	3		1	4	1	247
9	2nd Wednesday	5	4	4	4				1	262
10	2nd Tuesday	7	3	2	1					299
11	1st Wednesday	17	15	16	3		2	14		461
14	1st Monday	7	7	7	1		1	4	1	248
15	2nd Tuesday	8	8	7	2		3	4	1	368
16	2nd Tuesday	3	6	10	9			12		370
17	2nd Tuesday	10	11	12	6			4	1	397
18	1st Thursday	13	9	11	3			4	2	341
20	2nd Tuesday	15	19	19	1		17			585
21a	Tues. on or before F.M.	1	1		1			1	2	100
22	2nd Thursday	8	7	8				11	1	343
23	3rd Wednesday	17	15	14	3		1	4	3	204
24	1st Thursday	6	11	10			3	15		409
25	1st Wednesday	8	7	6						220
26	3rd Thursday	9	7	9						246
27	3rd Friday	11	8	12			4	5		498
28	3rd Thursday	3	4	3						500
29	1st Tuesday	6	5	8				3		131
30	Last Monday	7	6	7				5		132
31	2nd Wednesday	3	3	3				6		216
32	2nd Wednesday	6	7	6				6		291
33	2nd Tuesday	6	7	6				6		208
34	1st Tuesday	4	2	3				6		169
35	3rd Thursday	4	5	4						161
37	1st Friday	5	6	9				14		206
38	2nd Tuesday	11	7	6	3			6		327
39	1st Tuesday	3	3	6				1		152
40	3rd Thursday	12	10	13				17	3	546
41	1st Thursday	5	3	3			1	9	2	539
42	1st Thursday	12	17	20				9	8	266
43	1st Tuesday	6	6	6			3	4	3	344
44	1st Thursday	6	5	7	1			13		385
45	2nd Tuesday	8	7	5				8	1	380
46	1st Monday	5	5	4			3	7	1	406
47	1st Thursday	24	22	21	1		5	7	1	339
48	3rd Monday	4	6	8			5	3	17	749
50	1st Friday	1	2	2				3	4	186
52	1st Tuesday	13	10	10	3		2	9	3	127
54	2nd Tuesday	7	8	4			2	9	2	452
55	3rd Friday	2					1	1	1	100
56	1st Tuesday	8	11	8	1		1	6	6	111
57	2nd Wednesday	1	2	4			3	2	3	113
58	3rd Thursday	6	8	7	1		1	6	6	384
61	2nd Friday	16	17	17	1		1	1	1	386
62	3rd Thursday	2	3	4			1	1	1	371
63	2nd Wednesday	4	3	4			1	6	6	695
64	3rd Friday	28	31	31	1		4	2	2	696
65	1st Thursday	11	8	8			3	6	6	174
66	1st Tuesday	3	2	3			6	2	2	242
68	3rd Tuesday	5	5	3			4	6	6	244
69	3rd Thursday	2	2	2			3	6	6	122
							1	2	2	173
							1	2	2	217

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No. of Lodge	Lodge	Where Held	W. Master	Secretary
72 aAlma	Galt	Jack Sutton	A. G. Malcolm	
73 aSt. James	St. Marys	Wm. Lindsay	H. R. Alberts	
74 aSt. James	South Augusta	John Dietz	F. L. Bissell	
75 aSt. John's	Toronto	G. W. Bayliss	B. E. Garrett	
76 aOxford	Woodstock	R. H. Parker	C. E. Nettleton	
77 aFaithful Brethren	Lindsay	Gilbert McInnis	C. H. Heels	
78 aKing Hiram	Tillsonburg	W. J. Harper	H. C. Elder	
79 aSimcoe	Bradford	B. W. Steers	J. F. Gray	
81 aSt. John's	Mount Brydges	Donald Peacock	L. M. Brown	
82 aSt. John's	Paris	H. G. Arnald	C. A. Veigel	
83 aBeaver	Strathroy	G. I. Cuddy	D. C. Lamond	
84 aClinton	Clinton	H. B. Williams	G. H. Jefferson, At'g.	
85 aRising Sun	Athens	K. C. Taplin	A. E. Watt	
86 aWilson	Toronto	S. L. Burgess	C. J. E. Lawer	
87 aMarkham Union	Markham	F. E. Warne	W. B. H. Rose	
88 aSt. George's	Owen Sound	D. P. Low	E. C. Rosskopf	
90 aManito	Collingwood	R. J. Doherty	F. H. Bellamy	
91 aColborne	Colborne	R. A. Smith	H. F. Cowie	
92 aCataroqui	Kingston	G. N. Overland	T. N. Clarke	
93 aNorthern Light	Kincardine	W. N. Ross	R. J. Kincaid	
94 aSt. Mark's	Port Stanley	J. Ankermitt	J. A. Quinn	
96 aCorinthian	Barrie	W. J. Shaw	G. H. Scott	
97 aSharon	Queensville	Wesley Hayes	R. G. Strasler	
98 aTrue Blue	Bolton	Wm. H. McBride	J. A. Hutchinson	
99 aTuscan	Newmarket	C. E. Boyd	T. A. Mitchell	
100 aValley	Dundas	D. L. Finlayson	W. Law	
101 aCorinthian	Peterborough	William Nash	R. F. Downey	
102 aMaple Leaf	St. Catharines	John Barillier	James Thomson	
104 aSt. John's	Norwich	W. F. Burrill	R. O. Fewster	
105 aSt. Mark's	Niagara Falls	A. C. Pratt	H. Higgins	
106 aPurford	Burford	J. A. Hardie	W. Reed	
107 aSt. Paul's	Lambeth	Dave Hayball	R. A. McDougall	
108 aBlenheim	Princeton	Ray Harmer	H. D. Wight	
109 aAlbion	Harrowsmith	M. H. Goslin	G. A. Goslin	
110 aCentral	Prescott	Wm. H. Whitney	A. P. Gaudin	
113 aWilson	Waterford	J. R. Cooke	R. K. Robinson	
114 aHope	Port Hope	B. B. Cotter	R. A. Gustar	
115 aIvy	Beamsville	J. E. Jones	G. H. Dickson	
116 aCassia	Thedford	E. Harrison	H. Briers	
118 aUnion	Schomberg	Murray Kaake	W. F. Aitchison	
119 aMaple Leaf	Bath	Edwin Buck	H. Weese	
120 aWarren	Fingal	Hugh Silcox	W. B. D. Orchard	
121 aDoric	Brantford	E. J. Usher	E. E. McIntyre	
122 aRenfrew	Renfrew	Wm. K. Thur	L. B. Smith	
123 aBelleville	Belleville	Wm. D. Dixon	H. G. Bates	
125 aCornwall	Cornwall	B. R. Tilton	G. E. McCutcheon	
126 aGolden Rule	Campbellford	T. H. Burgis	W. A. Kingston	
127 aFranck	Frankford	Charles Fair	Preston Chase	
128 aPembroke	Pembroke	A. C. Reid	M. Doering	
129 aRising Sun	Aurora	G. M. Donovan	J. H. Knowles	
131 aSt. Lawrence	Southampton	James Armstrong	H. R. McNeill	
133 aSt. Lawrence Forest	Exeter	H. C. Pfaff	C. Mawhinney	
135 aSt. Clair	Milton	K. V. Dick	E. B. Clements	
136 aRichardson	Stouffville	Herbert Wagg	A. E. Weldon	
137 aPythagoras	Markdale	Frank Dougherty	Ernest Ingleby	
139 aLebanon	Oshawa	A. C. Hall	C. Templar	

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72	Last Tuesday	10	9	4			1	10		266	265
73	3rd Monday	8	6	7				7		223	231
74	4th Monday	8	9	9				1		107	115
75	1st Monday	4	4	4						243	234
76	2nd Monday	8	8	8						389	392
77	2nd Tuesday	7	8	8				5		397	397
78	2nd Wednesday	19	19	10				6		354	364
79	2nd Monday	4	2	3				3		155	150
81	2nd Tuesday	3	2	2				1		95	97
82	2nd Tuesday	2	1	1						226	225
83	3rd Monday	6	7	7						175	177
84	1st Friday	12	10	9				6		189	192
85	Thurs. on or before F.M.	2	2	2				1		103	104
86	3rd Tuesday	4	5	4				2		281	277
87	2nd Wednesday	7	6	6				2		172	166
88	2nd Wednesday	9	4	4				5		199	203
90	2nd Tuesday	7	8	4				6		292	292
91	3rd Friday	4	4	4				1		157	156
92	2nd Friday	10	12	10				5		406	406
93	1st Wednesday	4	5	3				1		227	229
94	2nd Tuesday	3	4	6				3		146	146
96	1st Thursday	6	5	5				2		450	448
97	2nd Tuesday	7	5	5				3		137	144
98	1st Friday	4	5	5				1		121	124
99	2nd Thursday	9	6	6				2		210	217
100	2nd Monday	6	6	3				4		373	366
101	3rd Friday	14	12	12				6		433	443
103	Last Thursday	8	9	9				10		492	489
104	3rd Monday	2	2	2				6		229	225
105	2nd Tuesday	7	5	5				9		336	332
106	3rd Wednesday	6	3	3				4		143	151
107	2nd Wednesday	12	14	12				2		188	198
108	2nd Friday	3	2	2				3		103	103
109	Friday on or before F.M.	7	13	12				2		187	192
110	1st Tuesday	1	2	2				4		155	153
113	2nd Wednesday	3	2	2				6		202	195
114	3rd Tuesday	10	11	11				7		222	224
115	1st Tuesday	6	9	9				1		240	243
116	2nd Monday	8	3	3				3		93	100
118	2nd Monday	5	4	4				2		106	111
119	2nd Monday	1	3	2				1		145	140
120	1st Tuesday	1	1	1				2		94	95
121	3rd Friday	10	4	4				15		503	496
122	1st Monday	8	1	1				8		207	198
123	1st Thursday	4	8	8				4		338	367
125	1st Wednesday	17	16	17				29		409	421
126	2nd Monday	3	3	6				5		281	287
127	3rd Monday	7	9	7				2		224	223
128	1st Thursday	8	4	3				1		231	282
129	2nd Wednesday	4	5	7				1		189	190
131	2nd Tuesday	2	3	3				4		99	97
133	2nd Monday	8	14	16				2		180	187
135	1st Thursday	7	11	8				1		220	220
136	4th Wednesday	5	3	3				3		166	168
137	1st Tuesday	8	3	2				4		147	149
139	2nd Tuesday	14	6	17				12		420	425

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140 aMalahide	Aylmer	W. H. Cresswell	J. B. Wright
141 aTudor	Mitchell	Orville Ovens	Edward Brunk
142 aExcelsior	Morrisburg	L. J. Presley	T. R. Parker
143 aFriendly Brothers'	Iroquois	C. A. Fisher	Carl VanCamp
144 aTecumseh	Stratford	R. R. Morrice	S. W. Rust
145 aJ. B. Hall	Millbrook	M. H. Thompson	J. S. McGill (Atc'g)
146 aPrince of Wales	Newburgh	H. G. Dowdle	D. Sexsmith
147 aMississippi	Almonte	G. H. Duncan	S. H. Morton
148 aCivil Service	Ottawa	W. M. Creighton	E. D. Berry
149 aErie	Port Dover	A. C. Lowe	B. M. Varey
151 aGrand River	Kitchener	W. G. Vassie	H. W. Rothaermel
153 aBurns'	Wyoming	James King	J. G. Rice
154 aIrving	Lucan	A. F. McLean	J. C. Murdy
155 aPeterborough	Peterborough	N. R. Hamilton	E. E. Lee
156 aYork	Toronto	B. E. Gohn	Bruce Simpson
157 aSimpson	Newboro	W. L. Blackman	W. A. Barker
158 aAlexandra	Oil Springs	Claude Roberts	W. R. Morley
159 aGoodwood	Richmond	Kenneth Beaton	J. H. Chanonhouse
161 aPercy	Warkworth	Rowland Edwards	Eldon Ewing
162 aForest	Wroxeter	Richard Carson	J. H. Wylie
164 aStar-in-the-East	Wellington	Edward Marshall	B. C. Tice
165 aBurlington	Burlington	R. V. Beal	R. J. M. Allen
166 aWentworth	Stoney Creek	A. C. Page	Wm. A. McNeil
168 aMerritt	Welland	F. J. Christie	H. E. Stark
169 aMacnab	Port Colborne	W. E. Noble	C. M. McNeil
170 aBritannia	Seaforth	J. A. MacDonald	C. A. Reith
171 aPrince of Wales	Iona Station	Ian McLellan	W. G. Agar
172 aAyr	Ayr	A. M. Edgar	J. D. Patterson
174 aWalsingham	Port Rowan	Clair Jamieson	H. C. Unger
177 aThe Builders	Ottawa	W. J. Roe	D. G. Hewer
178 aPlattsburgh	Plattsburgh	James Routly	J. L. Goffon
180 aSpeed	Guelph	J. Harris	A. J. Hawker
181 aOriental	Port Burwell	J. H. Atkins	A. J. Bodsworth
184 aOld Light	Lucknow	Wallace Conn	T. J. Salkeld
185 aEnniskillen	York	A. B. Peart	A. W. McConachie
186 aPlantagenet	Riceville	E. G. Tucker	R. Fawcett
190 aBelmont	Belmont	Andrew Willsie	B. Harkness
192 aOrillia	Orillia	Thos. Sansom	C. O. Parnaby
193 aScotland	Scotland	Earl Logan	C. R. McEwan
194 aPetrolia	Petrolia	Melvin Mills	J. A. McCabe
195 aThe Tuscan	London	J. B. Slack	R. T. Dunlop
196 aMadawaska	Arnprior	W. G. Thomas	J. H. Hobbs
197 aSaugeen	Walkerton	Archie Gowenlock	T. E. Brant
200 aSt. Alban's	Mt. Forest	Wm. F. Cockburn	H. J. Corley
201 aLeeds	Gananoque	F. J. Nuttall	J. F. Symons
203 aIrvine	Elora	R. E. Plyley	A. B. Barton
205 aNew Dominion	New Hamburg	F. G. Daniells	R. E. Merner
207 aLancaster	Lancaster	R. K. Greer	C. T. Upton
209 aEvergreen	Lanark	Charles Boes	A. Ennis
209 aSt. John's	London	J. W. Balch	F. B. Robinson
215 aLake	Ameliasburg	A. W. Marshall	G. G. Redner
216 aHarris	Orangeville	R. B. Lackey	W. M. Curry
217 aFrederick	Delhi	N. A. Taylor	W. J. Hall
218 aStevenson	Toronto	C. F. Carter	J. H. Johnston
219 aCredit	Georgetown	J. Lenton	G. S. Wright
220 aZeredatha	Uxbridge	Grant Prentice	R. Hudson

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31 Dec.	31 Dec.	31 Dec.	31 Dec.	31 Dec.	31 Dec.	31 Dec.	31 Dec.	31 Dec.	31 Dec.	31 Dec.	31 Dec.
140	3rd Wednesday	7	6	6	5	5	5	6	6	211	207
141	2nd Tuesday	5	3	4	5	4	1	2	2	167	171
142	1st Wednesday	6	6	5	3	4	4	4	2	157	157
143	2nd Wednesday	2	4	4	4	4	4	4	2	115	114
144	3rd Friday	2	12	17	3	1	1	1	1	400	398
145	2nd Tuesday	9	7	13	12	12	12	10	1	99	98
146	1st Wednesday	6	3	3	3	2	2	2	1	76	73
147	1st Friday	3	3	7	5	4	1	8	1	202	196
148	2nd Tuesday	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	1	323	314
149	Mon. on or before F.M.	4	2	13	12	12	12	11	1	218	223
151	2nd Tuesday	10	6	13	12	12	12	10	2	442	436
153	2nd Thursday	2	7	7	6	6	6	2	2	150	146
154	2nd Thursday	9	6	7	7	7	7	3	3	124	130
155	1st Friday	9	9	12	12	12	12	2	2	473	471
156	3rd Friday	10	7	12	12	12	12	3	3	374	375
157	1st Tuesday	2	3	4	4	4	4	1	1	105	89
158	2nd Thursday	2	3	3	3	3	3	1	1	101	101
159	Tues. on or before F.M.	5	4	12	12	12	12	4	4	97	100
161	1st Wednesday	11	11	11	11	11	11	4	4	148	148
162	2nd Monday	4	2	1	2	2	2	3	3	124	126
164	1st Tuesday	1	3	2	2	2	2	3	3	151	149
165	1st Wednesday	12	10	11	11	11	11	4	4	472	474
166	3rd Tuesday	18	15	12	12	12	12	7	7	413	420
168	2nd Monday	6	4	4	4	4	4	8	8	266	256
169	2nd Tuesday	9	7	10	10	10	10	2	2	294	303
170	1st Monday	5	9	9	9	9	9	4	4	175	176
171	2nd Thursday	4	5	5	5	5	5	1	1	68	71
172	2nd Monday	1	3	3	3	3	3	4	4	79	76
174	3rd Thursday	3	3	2	2	2	2	3	3	140	137
177	2nd Friday	3	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	368	360
178	Friday on or before F.M.	6	5	3	3	3	3	12	12	63	73
180	1st Tuesday	12	9	10	10	10	10	4	4	500	495
181	2nd Tuesday	12	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	95	97
184	1st Thursday	12	3	3	3	3	3	8	8	196	193
185	1st Monday	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	81	84
186	3rd Friday	12	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	61	63
190	4th Thursday	6	2	2	2	2	2	11	11	138	134
192	1st Thursday	6	14	12	12	12	12	5	5	482	481
193	2nd Monday	3	2	2	2	2	2	3	3	161	163
194	2nd Wednesday	4	3	4	4	4	4	3	3	154	153
195	1st Monday	5	4	4	4	4	4	9	9	287	282
196	2nd Monday	8	3	3	3	3	3	5	5	223	222
197	2nd Tuesday	7	4	4	4	4	4	5	5	158	154
209	Friday on or before F.M.	5	4	4	4	4	4	1	1	93	95
201	2nd Tuesday	6	4	3	3	3	3	1	1	231	229
203	3rd Friday	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	109	105
205	2nd Monday	3	3	1	1	1	1	4	4	72	72
207	Tues. on or before F.M.	4	4	3	3	3	3	3	3	119	118
209	2nd Thursday	2	4	4	4	4	4	2	2	108	106
209a	1st Friday	15	15	15	15	15	15	10	4	678	677
215	1st Monday	9	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	114	121
216	2nd Tuesday	10	7	7	7	7	7	1	1	240	243
217	3rd Monday	4	5	5	5	5	5	2	1	173	175
218	2nd Monday	18	19	24	24	24	24	6	5	303	314
219	2nd Wednesday	8	9	10	11	11	11	4	4	212	224
220	3rd Monday	1	9	6	6	6	6	3	4	170	170

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221	aMountain	Thorold	W. F. Speck	C. R. Buss
222	aMarmora	Marmora	Thos. Pearce	R. E. Neal
223	aNorwood	Norwood	D. W. Hall	C. A. Copp
224	Huron	Hensall	R. K. Peck	W. O. Goodwin
225	aBernard	Listowel	D. J. Askin	B. L. H. Bamford
228	aPrince Arthur	Odessa	John Potter	P. Wright
229	aIonic	Brampton	R. R. Grafton	C. A. Firman
230	Kerr	Barrie	T. H. Lazier	V. E. Knight
231	Lodge of Fidelity	Ottawa	E. W. Burke	Ed. Jenkins
232	aCameron	Dutton	Allistair Littlejohn	Frost Hockin
233	Doric	Parkhill	Bruce Dixon	C. J. Fox
234	Beaver	Thornbury	I. H. Master	A. L. Davies
235	aAldworth	Paisley	A. L. Cumming	S. F. Ballachey
236	aManitoba	Cookstown	R. K. Elliott	L. A. Arnold
237	Vienna	Vienna	Verne Walsh	L. Walsh
238	Havelock	Watford	Currie McVicar	Geo. Searson
239	Tweed	Tweed	Clayton Hall	F. Bowers
242	aMacoy	Mallorytown	K. P. Warren	A. M. Purvis
243	aSt. George	St. George	T. O. Loveless	J. B. Raymer
245	aTecumseh	Thamesville	W. E. Hardey	W. E. Hopper
247	aAshlar	Toronto	H. F. C. Lount	P. F. Wayman
249	aCaledonian	Midland	L. W. Watson	J. J. Robins
250	aThistle	Embro	C. G. Munro	D. J. McLeod
253	aMinden	Kingston	D. A. Bruce	G. H. Veale
254	aClifton	Niagara Falls	George Loring	Frederick Want
255	aSydenham	Dresden	Gordon Holmes	W. B. Holmes
256	aFarran - Ault	Ingleside	R. G. Warren	F. T. Shaver
257	aGalt	Galt	J. E. Bayley	G. J. Johnson
258	aGuelph	Guelph	T. N. Allan	T. Jackson
259	Springfield	Springfield	N. R. Brooks	F. E. Harris
260	aWashington	Petrolia	W. C. Hackett	E. G. Kerby
261	aOak Branch	Innerkip	A. R. Ross	S. J. Hislop
262	aHarrison	Harrison	C. E. Homouth	F. F. Homouth
263	aForest	Forest	C. G. Hall	W. F. Braun
264	Chaudiere	Ottawa	J. L. Thomson	M. H. Chapman
265	Patterson	Thornhill	W. L. Fairthorne	G. A. Russell
266	aNorthern Light	Stayner	G. H. Mathers	Edgar Robinson
267	Parthenon	Chatham	Lyle Wight	J. B. Ryan
268	aVerulam	Bobcaygeon	A. C. Collins	C. H. Pardy
269	aBrougham Union	Claremont	Robert Malcolm	S. S. J. Pugh
270	aCedar	Oshawa	E. L. Elliott	E. F. Farrow
271	Wellington	Erin	Gordon Simpson	Stewart Scott
272	aSeymour	Ancaster	W. M. Lampman	E. McMullen
274	aKent	Blenheim	Edward Lock	E. L. Jacklin
276	aTeeswater	Teeswater	Alex. McKenzie	Peter Moffat
277	aSeymour	Port Dalhousie	John Palmer	B. E. Schaah
279	aNew Hope	Hespeler	C. H. Craig	G. H. Henderson
282	aLorne	Glencoe	M. H. Weekes	H. L. Bechill
283	aEureka	Belleville	J. L. Diamond	R. L. Orr
284	St. John's	Brussels	Ray Bronson	A. E. Martin
285	Seven Star	Alliston	Donald Alderson	R. N. Walker
286	aWingham	Wingham	Ross Vogan	H. L. Sherbondy
287	aShuniah	Port Arthur	A. R. Graham	J. E. Hamilton
289	aDoric	Lobo	W. C. Frank	Wilfrid Keays
290	aLeamington	Leamington	H. F. Plumb	R. D. McLean
291	aDufferin	W. Flamboro	J. K. Jones	D. W. Dunkin

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221	3rd Thursday	6	10				1	6		312	316
222	3rd Monday	4	2				1	2	1	128	128
223	2nd Monday	4	7				1	2	88	87	
224	4th Monday	6	6				1	4	111	109	
225	3rd Tuesday	1	3				1	1	243	238	
228	3rd Monday	8	10				1	1	134	135	
229	3rd Tuesday						1	1	349	354	
230	3rd Thursday	11	8				1	4	370	365	
231	3rd Tuesday	5	3				1	2	377	373	
232	1st Wednesday	3	3				1	9	137	141	
233	2nd Tuesday	12	10				1	2	154	164	
234	3rd Tuesday	5	1				1	3	103	105	
235	1st Friday	4	3				1	4	109	110	
236	2nd Tuesday	2	2				1	3	152	148	
237	3rd Friday	1	1				1	3	117	115	
238	3rd Tuesday	1	3				1	1	98	97	
239	2nd Friday	2	1				1	1	150	152	
242	4th Monday	2	1				1	1	92	92	
243	1st Tuesday	6	6				1	2	170	173	
245	2nd Monday	4	6				1	3	150	146	
247	4th Tuesday	5	6				1	4	243	236	
249	1st Monday	17	10				1	3	312	324	
250	4th Thursday	2	2				1	4	146	144	
253	1st Tuesday	11	10				1	5	439	438	
254	1st Wednesday	14	11				1	9	391	396	
255	2nd Tuesday	5	3				1	1	159	165	
256	2nd Wednesday	1	2				1	1	111	107	
257	1st Tuesday	9	9				1	1	331	334	
258	2nd Tuesday	7	6				1	2	302	301	
259	2nd Monday	10	8				1	1	161	171	
260	1st Wednesday	3	3				1	1	198	196	
261	2nd Thursday	4	4				1	1	99	102	
262	2nd Monday	6	6				1	1	140	143	
263	2nd Wednesday	1	2				1	1	137	136	
264	4th Tuesday	7	7				1	1	372	364	
265	3rd Thursday	8	9				1	2	310	308	
266	1st Tuesday	1	3				1	1	186	180	
267	1st Wednesday	5	5				1	1	345	336	
268	3rd Friday	4	6				1	1	135	135	
269	1st Wednesday	12	2				1	1	94	93	
270	4th Tuesday	11	9				1	1	431	431	
271	1st Thursday	5	3				1	1	168	167	
272	2nd Tuesday	2	6				1	1	299	285	
274	2nd Monday	5	5				1	1	250	249	
276	2nd Thursday	5	5				1	1	87	91	
277	2nd Wednesday	11	11				1	1	229	238	
279	2nd Monday	4	3				1	1	121	117	
282	2nd Tuesday	2	3				1	2	137	140	
283	2nd Wednesday	2	3				1	6	490	484	
284	2nd Tuesday	1	1				1	1	95	94	
285	2nd Monday	7	7				1	1	251	255	
286	1st Tuesday	1	1				1	1	199	207	
287	1st Tuesday	11	8				1	1	504	496	
289	3rd Wednesday	1	1				1	1	125	120	
290	3rd Tuesday	5	10				1	1	342	338	
291	3rd Thursday	4	4				1	1	145	146	
292	3rd Monday	8	8				1	1	129	138	

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292	aRobertson	King	Grant McCachen	F. E. Boys
294	aMoore	Courtright	F. W. Bonnett	B. C. Kitchen
295	aConestogo	Drayton	T. M. Hammond	E. S. Morgan
296	aTemple	St. Catharines	C. A. Jago	F. R. Davis
297	aPreston	Preston	K. W. MacDonald	W. Graystone
299	aVictoria	Centreville	Douglas Brown	Allan Burgess
300	aMount Olivet	Thorndale	Albert Smith	C. V. Fox
302	St. David's	St. Thomas	A. E. Lynes	K. S. Woodward
303	aBlyth	Blyth	H. L. Sturdy	Harold Vodden
304	aMinerva	Stroud	G. W. Campbell	J. H. Wilson
305	aHumber	Weston	W. A. Ames	G. E. Medhurst
306	aDurham	Durham	David Hooper	C. McGirr
307	aArkona	Arkona	Leonard Eastman	G. S. Lampman
309	aMorning Star	Carlow	Thornton Eedy	R. D. Munro
311	aBlackwood	Woodbridge	A. H. Rutherford	H. A. Hopkins
312	aPnyx	Wallaceburg	James Henderson	J. H. Burnett
313	aClementi	Lakefield	E. P. Payne	D. A. Nichols
314	aBlair	Palmerston	J. E. Hunt	W. T. Brown
315	aClifford	Clifford	Alfred Filsinger	E. Eckensviller
316	aDoric	Toronto	G. J. Pate	A. J. Collins
318	aWilmot	Baden	Howard Hoffman	Lyle Miller
319	aHiram	Hagersville	William Brooks	R. H. Shoup
320	aChesterville	Chesterville	B. W. Lapp	A. E. Jarvis
321	aWalker	Acton	L. R. McKersie	H. L. Ritchie
322	aNorth Star	Owen Sound	E. C. Stevens	J. J. Teschke
323	aAlvinston	Alvinston	Harold Colhoun	W. H. Clark
324	aTemple	Hamilton	R. P. Hendershot	J. Turner
325	aOrono	Orono	Dudley Deely	Herbert Duvall
326	aZetland	Toronto	H. R. Johnston	P. E. Wootton
327	aHammond	Wardsville	E. L. Purdy	Harry Harvey
328	aIonic	Napier	K. B. Patterson	Evan Denning
329	aKing Solomon	Jarvis	D. W. McBride	W. L. Keen
330	aCorinthian	London	W. F. Botham	W. E. Bradt
331	aFordwich	Fordwich	Morley Johnson	J. H. Pollock
332	aStratford	Stratford	T. J. Wrennick	A. A. Shaw
333	Prince Arthur	Flesherton	Alfred O'Dell	H. A. McCauley
334	aPrince Arthur	Arthur	Lenard Kerr	Elgin Workman
336	aHighgate	Highgate	Peter Lalonde	Geo. E. Ramsey
337	aMyrtle	Port Robinson	C. R. Stephenson	A. C. Avery
338	aDufferin	Wellandport	Leonard Hoover	Fred Donovan
339	aOrient	Toronto	A. G. Neale	A. M. Watt
341	Bruce	Tiverton	Lawson Keyes	Lovell MacKenzie
343	Georgina	Toronto	A. W. Fox	P. W. Davies
344	aMerrill	Dorchestel	L. G. Reading	P. V. J. Hale
345	aNilestown	Nilestown	Norman Lansdell	R. J. Carswell
346	aOccident	Toronto	V. S. McGlynn	J. T. Berry
347	aMercer	Fergus	F. O. Moon	W. D. Hill
348	aGeorgian	Penetanguishene	William Dick	R. F. White
352	aGranite	Parry Sound	Elwood Robinson	J. S. Dick
354	Brock	Cannington	C. W. Thomas	Wm. J. Beard
356	aRiver Park	Streetsville	J. J. Wright	G. R. Bruce
357	aWaterdown	Millgrove	M. R. Cummins	C. P. Robinson
358	aDelaware Valley	Delaware	Bert Grover	G. F. McKay
359	aVittoria	Vittoria	Allan Lloyd	S. R. Hancock
360	aMuskoka	Bracebridge	Henry G. Kirbyson	R. F. Heath
361	aWaverley	Guelph	R. A. Hodson	R. G. Stephens

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294	2nd Thursday	8	7	7			5	2	1	119	120
295	3rd Tuesday	1	1	1			3	3	5	110	107
296	3rd Wednesday	3	6	6			1	2	2	387	376
297	3rd Thursday	12	6	6			1	1	8	236	241
299	1st Thursday	12	12	6			3	3	2	74	73
300	3rd Thursday	16	17	18			1	1	2	104	115
302	3rd Thursday	6	4	4			1	1	8	505	503
303	3rd Monday	3	7	10			1	1	2	87	91
304	3rd Tuesday	10	9	9			3	2	2	197	201
305	3rd Thursday	5	3	3			1	1	2	312	316
306	2nd Tuesday	4	4	4			1	1	2	142	143
307	1st Thursday	6	2	2			3	3	2	68	70
309	2nd Wednesday	3	4	4			1	1	2	109	111
311	1st Tuesday	10	5	5			1	1	2	169	168
312	3rd Monday	5	4	4			1	1	2	288	272
313	1st Tuesday	3	2	2			2	2	2	166	170
314	2nd Friday	3	4	3			1	1	2	195	197
315	3rd Monday	8	6	6			2	2	2	83	82
316	3rd Thursday	5	4	4			1	1	2	285	282
318	2nd Thursday	6	7	6			1	1	2	42	42
319	2nd Thursday	3	2	2			1	1	2	167	165
320	2nd Monday	10	11	10			2	2	2	137	129
321	2nd Monday	12	11	10			1	1	2	215	221
322	1st Wednesday	3	5	7			1	1	2	239	249
323	4th Monday	6	7	6			1	1	2	95	94
324	2nd Tuesday	3	2	2			1	1	2	421	411
325	2nd Thursday	5	5	6			1	1	2	152	149
326	4th Friday	5	3	5			1	1	2	313	307
327	3rd Monday	1	1	1			1	1	2	85	86
328	3rd Thursday	9	9	11			1	1	2	62	60
329	2nd Friday	1	1	1			1	1	2	109	109
330	1st Tuesday	1	1	1			1	1	2	325	325
331	2nd Thursday	1	1	1			1	1	2	74	73
332	2nd Monday	7	9	8			1	1	2	386	386
333	2nd Friday	2	2	2			1	1	2	156	154
334	3rd Monday	8	6	3			1	1	2	102	108
336	2nd Friday	2	2	2			1	1	2	127	127
337	4th Tuesday	3	1	1			1	1	2	106	104
338	2nd Tuesday	2	2	2			1	1	2	90	91
339	4th Wednesday	18	11	12			1	1	2	374	358
341	1st Tuesday	13	13	13			1	1	2	66	62
343	4th Friday	13	13	13			1	1	2	390	375
344	1st Thursday	2	5	10			1	1	2	147	148
345	2nd Tuesday	20	12	12			4	4	4	227	247
346	3rd Wednesday	13	11	13			3	3	4	475	473
347	1st Friday	7	6	4			1	1	2	163	166
348	1st Thursday	2	2	2			1	1	2	97	98
352	3rd Wednesday	12	9	14			1	1	2	397	396
354	2nd Wednesday	2	2	2			1	1	2	95	97
356	1st Tuesday	5	4	5			1	1	2	182	186
357	3rd Tuesday	7	11	9			1	1	2	298	294
358	2nd Thursday	3	2	3			1	1	2	123	123
359	2nd Friday	9	4	2			1	1	2	111	112
360	1st Tuesday	9	9	5			1	1	2	189	195
361	2nd Monday	6	8	6			4	4	1	395	396

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362 aMaple Leaf	Tara	J. H. Pinchin	Geo. H. Munson
364 aDufferin	Melbourne	George Pettit	J. C. McLean
367 aSt. George	Toronto	R. G. Latimer	W. F. Damp
368 aSalem	Brockville	E. C. Shaffer	A. G. Ingle
369 aMimico	Lambton Mills	D. W. Forrester	J. Kendall
370 aHarmony	Delta	C. G. Smith	Don. Elliott
371 aPrince of Wales	Ottawa	W. E. Service	H. J. Sykes
372 aPalmer	Fort Erie	C. K. Souder	R. E. Gardiner
373 aCope-Stone	Welland	W. W. Maxwell	W. B. Martin
374 aKeene	Keene	Wm. Millar	D. R. Comrie
375 aLorne	Omemee	W. D. Weir	T. C. Best
376 aUnity	Huntsville	Paul Tapley	S. G. Avery
377 aLorne	Shelburne	A. D. McKelvie	Wilfred Newell
378 aKing Solomon's	London	O. C. Bridgeman	L. M. Clark
379 aMiddlesex	Bryanston	Lloyd Easton	Harold Foster
380 aUnion	London	Geo. R. Reid	R. E. Tillson
382 aDorie	Hamilton	R. G. Wands	W. J. Macintosh
383 aHenderson	Winchester	A. S. Rice	W. A. Sherwood
384 aAlpha	Toronto	Richard Evans	W. H. Brown
385 aSpry	Beeton	J. R. Mitchell	Wm. L. Watson
386 aMcColl	West Lorne	G. L. Howse	V. Bury
387 aLansdowne	Lansdowne	Ralph Peck	R. A. Running
388 aHenderson	Ilderton	A. S. Hamilton	B. R. Clemance
389 aCrystal Fountain	North Augusta	Leslie Clifford	M. R. Hough
390 aFlorence	Florence	Floyd E. Hannon	Glenn Bilton
391 aHoward	Ridgeton	J. H. O'Neill	D. R. McDiarmid
392 aHuron	Camlachie	R. I. Doherty	Martin Burnley
393 aForest	Chesley	Edgar Ash	H. A. Doubt
394 aKing Solomon	Thamesford	James Peden	T. R. Nancekivell
395 aParvaim	Comber	Garth McCracken	Leslie Dietrich
396 aCedar	Wiariton	Ray Butchart	G. G. Sinclair
397 aLeopold	Brigden	Edgar Ellenor	George Piggott
398 aVictoria	Kirkfield	W. J. Brosterston	D. V. Grant
399 aMoffat	Harrietsville	Lloyd Coates	Grant Corless
400 aOakville	Oakville	H. F. Ryan	E. C. Cox
401 aCraig	Deseronto	J. F. Moore, Jr.	E. Gustafson
402 aCentral	Essex	Joseph Butcher	C. G. Johnston
403 aWindsor	Windsor	S. W. Brumpton	Alex Shaw
404 aLorne	Tamworth	Hubert Turkington	G. A. Hannah
405 aMattawa	Mattawa	Roy Parizeau	W. R. Taylor
406 aThe Spry	Fenelon Falls	A. R. Flett	A. W. Robson
408 aMurray	Beaverton	Keith Harris	G. A. Smith
409 aGolden Rule	Gravenhurst	H. M. Miller	W. E. McDonald
410 aZeta	Toronto	R. R. Bailey	H. L. Bennett
411 aRodney	Rodney	D. G. Kelly	J. A. Fletcher
412 aKeystone	Sault Ste. Marie	L. G. Shier	A. R. Priddle
413 aNaphtali	Tilbury	Robert McAlorum	G. Wallace
414 aPequonga	Kenora	J. P. Calder	H. S. Cade
415 aFort William	Fort William	C. W. Flemming	W. T. Biggar
416 aLyn	Lyn	Fred Grant	Frank Cornell
417 aKeewatin	Keewatin	A. W. Welch	C. C. Galloway
418 aMaxville	Maxville	John Jamieson	J. N. Fitzgerald
419 aLiberty	Sarnia	J. C. Craig	A. W. Jordan
420 aNipissing	North Bay	R. C. Dales	A. B. Reed
421 aScott	Grand Valley	Durward Greenwood	Wilfred West
422 aStar of the East	Bothwell	G. M. Keeler	R. W. Tyrrell

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362	2nd	Monday	2	1	1				1		57	58
364	3rd	Tuesday	3	3	3				2		78	79
367	1st	Friday	12	13	11	1			16		433	427
368	2nd	Monday	10	10	13	2			6		469	465
369	2nd	Tuesday	9	10	11	4			8		310	314
370	2nd	Wednesday				1			1		101	99
371	4th	Friday	8	8	8	2			15		446	435
372	1st	Tuesday	7	7	4	2			10		262	256
373	1st	Thursday	13	8	6	1			5		313	319
374	3rd	Thursday	3	6	3	1			1		75	77
375	2nd	Wednesday	4	4	1	5			8		142	142
376	2nd	Wednesday	10	10	8	1			4		197	206
377	1st	Friday	4	5	5	4			3		150	152
378	2nd	Thursday	10	12	12	10			13		495	483
379	4th	Tuesday	6	4	2	1			1		82	87
380	2nd	Monday	7	8	8	4			12		620	607
382	3rd	Monday	8	9	12	1			15		471	457
383	2nd	Friday	11	10	8	3			3		139	149
384	1st	Thursday	12	11	13	1			10		459	449
385	3rd	Monday	1	2	3	1			3		117	115
386	2nd	Monday	1	1	1	1			3		154	149
387	1st	Wednesday							4		93	90
388	3rd	Monday	5	6	4				3		125	126
389	1st	Wednesday	2	2	2						98	99
390	Friday on or before F.M.		1		2				2		100	99
391	1st	Monday	5	5	6	1			8		241	239
392	3rd	Monday	3	2	2	1			1		108	108
393	3rd	Monday	2	1	5	1			1		107	108
394	2nd	Wednesday	1	1	3	2			8		123	128
395	3rd	Friday	3	3	3	1			4		69	70
396	1st	Tuesday	5	6	8	3					192	196
397	2nd	Wednesday	3	3	4	1					165	168
398	1st	Wednesday	2	2	1	2			2		115	109
399	1st	Wednesday	4	3	3	2			3		77	81
400	1st	Tuesday	11	11	14	4			3		276	284
401	1st	Tuesday	4	5	4				2		150	151
402	1st	Tuesday	10	10	13	1			7		276	275
403	1st	Friday	16	14	17	1			10		534	539
404	3rd	Friday							1		91	88
405	1st	Tuesday	1		1				5		134	128
406	4th	Wednesday	6	5	5	1			3		159	163
408	1st	Tuesday	3	3	3	3			1		133	139
409	2nd	Monday	3	3	2	4			1		202	208
410	1st	Friday	6	11	9	2			9		368	355
411	1st	Friday	1	4	6	3			1		118	116
412	1st	Tuesday	26	14	14	3			13		456	467
413	2nd	Tuesday				3			4		124	116
414	1st	Wednesday	10	5	4	1			1		286	285
415	2nd	Wednesday	13	12	12	1			6		482	475
416	1st	Tuesday	3	1	2	1			7		74	77
417	1st	Friday	2	1	2	3			12		96	100
418	2nd	Friday	3	3	2	1			1		105	108
419	2nd	Monday	16	17	14	7			8		545	552
420	2nd	Monday	3	10	12	1			11		355	346
421	1st	Monday	1	2	5	1			1		125	125
422	Last Wednesday		4	3	3	5			2		119	121

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423	Strong	Sundridge	V. J. Tebby	E. M. Moore
424	aDoric	Pickering	R. D. Rahmer	H. S. Anderson
425	aSt. Clair	Sombra	Gordon Kinny	W. C. Laing
426	aStanley	Toronto	R. M. Fraser	J. L. Johnson
427	aNickel	Sudbury	A. Dinwoodie	P. A. Coates
428	aFidelity	Port Perry	H. M. Slater	W. Watson
429	aPort Elgin	Port Elgin	Harvey Morrow	T. Campbell
430	aAcacia	Toronto	Frank Pickering	H. A. Sinclair
431	Moravian	Cargill	D. C. Garland	J. M. Reid
432	aHanover	Hanover	W. A. Wright	J. A. Magee
433	Bonnechere	Eganville	W. J. M. Warren	H. G. Green
434	Algonquin	Emsdale	C. W. Tyers	H. R. Hayward
435	aHavelock	Havelock	John Beatty	H. A. Anderson
436	Burns	Hepworth	V. B. Warmington	W. G. Walker
437	aTuscan	Sarnia	D. H. Townsend	F. J. Sanders
438	aHarmony	Toronto	G. D. King	D. S. Cody
439	Alexandria	Alexandria	H. B. Nyman	D. N. McRae
440	Arcadia	Minden	M. S. Vasey	A. V. Loueks
441	aWestport	Westport	Oswald Barr	F. Butterill
442	Dyment	Thessalon	J. T. Orr	A. Crealock
443	Powassan	Powassan	L. J. Froud	E. J. Liddle
444	aNietis	Creemore	J. E. Priddle	G. H. Sherherd
445	aLake of the Woods	Kenora	C. H. Milton	H. C. Smiley
446	aGranite	Fort Frances	S. R. L. Newman	W. T. Russell
447	aSturgeon Falls	Sturgeon Falls	G. C. Warren	G. R. Bartlett
448	aXenophon	Wheatley	Calvin Foster	R. A. Willett
449	Dundalk	Dundalk	Leslie Moore	E. A. Ruttle
450	Hawkesbury	Hawkesbury	W. L. Barnes	W. T. R. Hay
451	Somerville	Kinmount	Lyle Anderson	Leon Wright
452	aAvonmore	Avonmore	E. A. McKilligan	M. F. MacRae
453	Royal	Fort William	B. E. Rudman	J. A. Macdonald
454	Corona	Burks Falls	R. E. Fitzer	A. S. Black
455	Doric	Little Current	W. W. Ainslie	L. H. Peck
456	aElma	Monkton	E. A. Mann	C. S. Harrison
457	aCentury	Merlin	W. J. Pratt	G. C. Wellwood
458	aWales	Longue Sault	W. S. LaPorte	J. H. Maginnis
459	Cobden	Cobden	Leslie Collins	M. Burwell
460	aRideau	Seeley's Bay	W. S. Gardiner	Wm. McConnell Jr.
461	aIonic	Rainy River	D. H. Budreau	J. A. Crackel
462	Temiskaming	New Liskeard	S. W. Overton	H. G. Vosburgh
463	North Entrance	Haliburton	W. N. Webb	W. A. Kaye
464	King Edward	Sunderland	R. W. Oldfield	C. E. Shier
465	Carleton	Carp	Maurice McCallum	N. E. Irvine
466	aCoronation	Elmvale	Ross Ritchie	H. L. McKay
467	Tottenham	Tottenham	G. J. Cocking	A. McLean
468	aPeel	Caledon East	H. F. Noble	G. A. Evans
469	aAlgoma	Sault Ste. Marie	G. L. Whalen	D. Willeck Jr.
470	aVictoria	Victoria Harbour	G. R. Belcher	H. M. Robertson
471	aKing Edward VII	Chippawa	W. G. A. Barr	E. G. McKenzie
472	aGore Bay	Gore Bay	W. G. Turner	J. R. Brown
473	aThe Beaches	Toronto	F. E. Humphries	F. F. Mills
474	aVictoria	Toronto	W. K. Rowntree	Norman Henry
475	aDundurn	Hamilton	J. J. McNichol	Geo. Milne
476	aCorinthian	North Gower	E. S. McEwen	N. F. Sherman
477	aHarding	Woodville	M. J. Squires	W. J. Stoddart
478	aMilverton	Milverton	Stewart Whitney	M. H. Mogk

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No. of Lodge	Night of Meeting		Initiated	Passed	Raised	Joined	Restored	Resigned	Deaths	Suspend.	Members 31 Dec. 1957	Members 31 Dec. 1958
423	3rd Monday								3	1	121	116
424	3rd Thursday		10	11	11	1	1	1	4	4	219	225
425	3rd Tuesday		3	3	2	1	1	1	2	2	93	94
426	1st Tuesday		11	13	17	2	2	2	8	3	348	348
427	1st Wednesday		18	29	24	1	2	2	3	3	447	452
428	2nd Tuesday		5	4	6	1	1	1	1	1	190	193
429	3rd Thursday		1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	121	120
430	3rd Monday		11	7	10	2	2	2	7	7	332	326
431	3rd Monday							4	2	2	50	48
432	Last Monday		3	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	108	110
433	2nd Monday		2	3	3	1	1	1	2	2	132	128
434	3rd Tuesday		1	3	3	1	1	1	3	2	142	136
435	4th Monday		6	8	9	1	1	1	6	2	155	156
436	2nd Tuesday		10	5	7	2	2	2	5	2	80	89
437	3rd Wednesday		18	17	15	1	1	1	5	2	423	438
438	4th Monday		4	4	2	1	1	1	7	7	228	223
439	Tues. on or after F.M.								2	2	106	97
440	2nd Friday			1	1	1	1	1	3	3	141	130
441	1st Friday		1	1	1	1	1	1	3	2	90	88
442	2nd Thursday		4	6	3	1	1	1	2	2	153	151
443	2nd Friday		4	2	3	1	1	1	2	2	156	159
444	3rd Monday		3	4	6	1	1	1	4	1	133	137
445	2nd Wednesday		5	3	3	1	1	1	6	1	206	204
446	1st Tuesday		6	7	7	1	1	1	6	1	245	245
447	2nd Thursday		5	2	3	1	1	1	2	2	87	89
448	3rd Thursday		3	4	2	1	1	1	2	2	170	177
449	3rd Monday		4	4	4	1	1	1	1	1	138	138
450	3rd Thursday			4	1	1	1	1	2	1	136	134
451	1st Thursday			5	5	1	1	1	2	1	69	68
452	Tues. on or before F.M.			3	3	2	2	2	2	1	106	108
453	1st Wednesday			1	1	1	1	1	3	3	304	295
454	2nd Monday			4	4	3	1	1	1	1	106	103
455	2nd Tuesday			4	3	2	1	1	1	1	109	112
456	1st Thursday			1	1	1	1	1	2	1	87	86
457	3rd Tuesday			2	1	1	1	1	4	1	152	153
458	Mon. on or before F.M.			10	7	6	1	1	3	3	123	129
459	2nd Tuesday			2	2	2	1	1	4	1	150	147
460	1st Thursday			3	2	2	1	1	3	3	117	119
461	1st Thursday			3	7	4	1	1	4	4	153	148
462	3rd Thursday			6	6	5	1	1	4	4	154	150
463	3rd Wednesday			1	2	3	1	1	1	1	152	152
464	2nd Friday			4	4	3	1	1	1	1	119	122
465	4th Thursday			6	6	6	1	1	93	96		
466	3rd Thursday			2	2	2	1	1	1	1	133	135
467	1st Monday			1	1	2	1	1	76	77		
468	2nd Friday			8	4	2	1	1	1	1	158	167
469	1st Monday		11	17	22	1	1	1	7	7	397	397
470	3rd Tuesday		1	1	1	1	1	1	4	4	90	82
471	1st Wednesday		6	6	4	2	2	2	4	4	123	124
472	1st Wednesday			4	2	2	1	1	5	2	153	145
473	2nd Friday		5	6	6	1	1	1	7	7	242	239
474	3rd Tuesday		10	13	11	1	1	1	8	11	321	311
475	3rd Saturday		19	19	17	1	1	1	10	11	525	525
476	1st Friday		2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	110	109
477	2nd Monday		1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	112	111
478	2nd Monday			1	1	2	1	1	1	1	127	125

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479 <sup>1</sup>	Russell	Russell	J. A. Sullivan	H. J. Scott
480 a	Williamsburg	Williamsburg	Lorne Montgomery	G. Garlough
481 a	Corinthian	Toronto	Carl Rutter	F. Wright
482 a	Bancroft	Bancroft	Vern Mayhew	R. W. Blatherwick
483 a	Granton	Granton	Earl Watson	R. Rainey
484	Golden Star	Dryden	P. G. Stringer	H. J. Squire
485 a	Haileybury	Haileybury	O. E. Walli	G. R. Herbert
486 a	Silver	Cobalt	J. C. Elliott	F. J. Chapman
487 a	Penewobikong	Blind River	Fred Mitchell	D. McLean
488 a	King Edward	Harrow	R. L. McLachlan	B. E. Baltzer
489 <sup>1</sup>	Osiris	Smiths Falls	C. C. Ferguson	J. S. Allan
490	Hiram	Markdale	W. W. Graham	S. York
491 a	Cardinal	Cardinal	D. G. MacIntosh	H. E. Keeler
492 a	Karnak	Coldwater	A. J. Preece	G. R. Lane
494 a	Riverdale	Toronto	R. A. Ellis	S. F. McCall
495 a	The Electric	Hamilton	W. G. Birnie	D. M. Ritchie
496 a	University	Toronto	D. A. E. Ruwald	E. J. Walkom
497 a	St. Andrew's	Arden	Easton Fox	Harry Davis
498 a	King George V.	Cobocoenk	Ray Handley	E. B. White
499 a	Port Arthur	Port Arthur	E. A. Enstrom	S. H. Green
500 a	Rose	Windsor	W. D. Chute	G. K. Pinney
501 a	Connaught	Mimico	William Manson	S. J. Smith
502	Coronation	Smithville	Jack Magder	Harry Tuxworth
503 a	Inwood	Inwood	Ross McNally	J. R. Graham
504 <sup>1</sup>	Otter	Lombardy	John Rogers	H. C. Imerson
505 a	Lynden	Lynden	S. A. Hunt	H. B. Dayman
506	Porcupine	S. Porcupine	W. E. Anderson	J. Reid
507 a	Elk Lake	Elk Lake	E. A. Pearson	D. R. Young
508 a	Ozias	Brantford	William White	J. M. Buchanan
509 <sup>1</sup>	Twin City	Kitchener	H. H. Raddatz	H. J. Orpen
510 a	Parkdale	Toronto	W. C. Cresswell	E. H. Wilson
511 a	Connaught	Fort William	G. A. Haner	E. T. Hughes
512 <sup>1</sup>	Malone	Sutton West	R. P. Griffith	J. D. Tate
513 a	Corinthian	Hamilton	J. R. Badcock	A. G. Elford
514 a	St. Alban's	Toronto	Peter Gellatly	A. D. Thompson
515 a	Reba	Brantford	D. L. Sandison	T. E. Greenaway
516 <sup>1</sup>	Enterprise	Beachburg	J. G. Fletcher	A. R. Singleton
517	Hazeldean	Hazeldean	H. N. Craig	G. A. Gracey
518 <sup>1</sup>	Sioux Lookout	Sioux Lookout	C. A. Hunter	R. A. Kelly
519 a	Onondaga	Onondaga	Ross Mannen	W. Kemp
520 a	Coronati	Toronto	R. G. H. Chappell	D. C. Little
521 a	Ontario	Windsor	E. J. F. Loomis	R. V. Wakeley
522 a	Mount Sinai	Toronto	L. I. Levy	H. R. Fox
523 a	Royal Arthur	Peterborough	G. H. Duncan	J. H. Cooper
524 a	Mississauga	Port Credit	W. J. Loughran	T. D. Bayley
525 a	Temple	Toronto	A. T. Wilson	G. G. Oulton
526	Ionic	Ottawa	R. C. Taylor	W. E. Hay
527	Espanola	Espanola	O. J. Timber	K.R. Shore
528 a	Golden Beaver	Timmins	F. H. Bowman	W. G. Murray
529 a	Myra	Komoka	Robert Gray	J. B. Frank
530	Cochrane	Cochrane	J. A. Langdon	F. W. Stoops
531 a	High Park	Toronto	R. F. Redfern	A. G. Thompson
532 a	Canada	Toronto	T. J. Sleeth	J. M. Stephen
533 a	Shamrock	Toronto	R. R. Burns	G. H. Lepper
534 <sup>1</sup>	Englehart	Englehart	A. W. Stanton	E. A. Smith
535 a	Phoenix	Fonthill	Edward Haley	J. M. B. McClellan

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536 aAlgonquin	Copper Cliff	S. F. Crozier	A. A. Watson
537 aUlster	Toronto	A. J. Pedlar	H. G. Holden
538 aEarl Kitchener	Port McNicoll	J. A. Westwood	A. M. Lumsden
539 aWaterloo	Waterloo	J. E. R. Walker	N. A. MacEachern
540 aAbitibi	Iroquois Falls	J. V. Mitchell	C. G. Critchley
541 aTuscan	Toronto	W. H. Harris	F. C. Craig
542 aMetropolitan	Toronto	A. C. Love	W. D. Ferguson
543 aImperial	Toronto	W. G. Mills	E. E. Reid
544 aLincoln	Abingdon	Smith McDougall	Rymal Nelson
545 aJohn Ross Robertson	Toronto	A. T. Williams	J. H. Jackson
546 aTalbot	St. Thomas	D. F. Graham	W. A. McPherson
547 aThe Victory	Toronto	J. H. Fair	J. H. Hartley
548 aGeneral Mercer	Toronto	Jas. Martin	W. H. Quinn
549 aIonic	Hamilton	G. S. Haggstrom	A. W. Marshall
550 aBuchanan	Hamilton	J. E. Campbell	J. G. Reid
551 aTuscan	Hamilton	K. R. Atkinson	R. A. Carter
552 aQueen City	Toronto	G. A. Dorkin	W. Carey
553 aOakwood	Toronto	G. W. Blackmore	F. A. Scavour
554 aBorder Cities	Windsor	G. M. Wilson	J. Lock
555 aWardrobe	Hamilton	H. D. Allison	M. E. Smith
556 aNation	Spencerville	E. A. Barnard	G. R. Drummond
557 Finch	Finch	Ellery Ouderkirk	D. K. MacLean
558 S. A. Luke	Ottawa	W. C. Carson	Z. M. Niblock
559 aPalestine	Toronto	Murray Sklar	H. Ginsberg
560 aSt. Andrew's	Ottawa	W. J. Tate	J. N. Salter
561 Acacia	Ottawa	C. C. Lillico	C. W. Carson
562 aHamilton	Hamilton	Andrew Cowie	H. A. Snell
563 aVictory	Chatham	A. L. Brown	H. Whitehead
564 Ashlar	Ottawa	G. J. Martin	H. A. B. Barrett
565 aKilwinning	Toronto	Clifford Yates	Geo. Mitchell
566 aKing Hiram	Toronto	J. Kemp	H. Hanwell
567 aSt. Aidan's	Toronto	J. H. Bolton	H. J. Jeffery
568 aHullett	Londesboro'	J. C. Vincent	W. Leiper, Jr.
569 aDoric	Lakeside	H. W. McMurry	F. W. Seaton
570 aDufferin	Toronto	E. E. Reilly	G. N. Walker
571 aAntiquity	Toronto	A. J. Lennard	R. M. Brown
572 aMizpah	Toronto	R. C. Phillips	F. M. Shepherd
573 aAdoniram	Niagara Falls	W. G. Wisby	F. E. Wilson
574 aCraig	Ailsa Craig	John Norris	W. L. Burgis
575 aFidelity	Toronto	J. J. Graham	A. W. Kelly
576 aMimosa	Toronto	Dennis Coghlan	W. G. McCulloch
577 aSt. Clair	Toronto	R. C. Lewis	G. R. Stephens
578 aQueen's	Kingston	W. J. Kirkpatrick	A. H. Annable
579 aHarmony	Windsor	R. E. Klein	D. Vannan
580 aAcacia	London	H. C. Chantler	H. C. Steele
581 aHarcourt	Toronto	J. G. M. Clark	N. R. Firstbrook
582 aSunnyside	Toronto	John Colvert	C. Buckingham
583 aTransportation	Toronto	J. J. Williams	F. W. Charles
584 aKaministiquia	Fort William	J. W. Cumbes	H. M. Barth
585 aRoyal Edward	Kingston	K. W. Clark	E. L. Earl
586 aRemembrance	Toronto	H. G. Archbell	J. G. Porter
587 aPatricia	Toronto	C. L. Hall	S. Donnan
588 aNational	Capreol	J. W. A. Farquharson	F. B. Greaves
589 aGrey	Toronto	L. N. Brooks	T. Chard
590 aDefenders	Ottawa	A. E. Styles	A. McK. Shaw
591 aNorth Gate	Toronto	A. W. Dixon	K. B. Page

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636	3rd Tuesday	9	16	20	1		2	2		285	291
537	1st Monday	14	15	13	4	2	17	1	1	506	503
538	2nd Tuesday	5	4	3					52	53	
539	1st Wednesday	8	5	4					306	311	
540	3rd Friday	6	5	7					170	172	
541	3rd Friday	6	6	6					279	275	
542	2nd Wednesday	9	10	8					249	245	
543	2nd Monday	11	12	12				11	333	335	
544	3rd Friday	1	1	2				1	70	69	
545	3rd Tuesday	13	13	12				8	388	382	
546	4th Thursday	9	10	11				6	409	408	
547	3rd Tuesday	3	4	6				1	241	230	
548	2nd Friday	7	7	10				3	365	364	
549	1st Wednesday	18	16	15				4	433	447	
550	1st Thursday	12	20	20				7	395	397	
551	1st Thursday	20	17	20				5	613	621	
552	1st Wednesday	16	12	18				3	514	517	
553	2nd Monday	12	12	13					325	331	
554	1st Wednesday	6	5	4					238	234	
555	4th Monday	9	8	6				1	407	411	
556	1st Friday	10	9	9				3	90	97	
557	1st Thursday	3	1	2					139	140	
558	2nd Wednesday	4	3	3				7	210	211	
559	4th Wednesday	15	21	17				6	563	573	
560	1st Thursday	19	17	19				4	523	526	
561	3rd Tuesday	8	8	12				3	304	302	
562	2nd Monday	6	6	7				3	315	321	
563	2nd Tuesday	7	6	5				6	342	341	
564	1st Friday	4	4	3					233	233	
565	3rd Friday	12	12	18				2	414	418	
566	1st Friday	10	7	6				6	286	287	
567	4th Tuesday	21	15	13				1	133	155	
568	2nd Tuesday	2	2	2					59	61	
569	1st Tuesday	4	4	4					96	100	
570	1st Tuesday	5	6	6					289	280	
571	4th Tuesday	9	6	6					266	265	
572	2nd Thursday	2	2	2					276	274	
573	2nd Monday	4	5	5					268	257	
574	1st Tuesday	4	2	2					100	97	
575	3rd Wednesday	5	4	5				1	271	268	
576	1st Monday	12	12	13				2	310	311	
577	1st Wednesday	7	7	7				8	267	259	
578	2nd Wednesday	4	6	8				1	225	222	
579	1st Thursday	3	10	7				6	274	267	
580	1st Wednesday	13	14	14				3	357	358	
581	2nd Thursday	2	2	2					98	94	
582	4th Tuesday	11	11	11					318	319	
583	3rd Wednesday	14	16	11					353	362	
584	3rd Tuesday	4	4	5					220	219	
585	4th Friday	9	7	8					260	259	
586	1st Friday	8	5	8					347	346	
587	2nd Wednesday	12	13	13					296	298	
588	1st Tuesday	1	1						140	137	
589	1st Monday	13	14	11					211	218	
590	1st Wednesday	4	7	8					235	237	
591	4th Thursday	13	13	10					331	335	

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592	aFairbank	Toronto	F. P. Tonkin	J. D. Wotherspoon
593	aSt. Andrew's	Hamilton	C. V. Elliott Jr.	R. Strachan
594	aHillcrest	Hamilton	I. H. Walker	G. A. Sweatman
595	Rideau	Ottawa	H. D. MacDermid	W. A. Hamm
596	Martintown	Martintown	Hugh Munro	D. S. McIntosh
597	aTemple	London	D. N. Fletcher	W. G. Stewart
598	aDominion	Windsor	B. E. Beger	D. C. Taylor
599	aMount Dennis	Weston	T. R. Wood	Fred Thain
600	aMaple Leaf	Toronto	W. G. Colhoun	R. A. Duff
601	aSt. Paul	Sarnia	H. L. Jackson	W. E. Germain
602	aHugh Murray	Hamilton	William Homer	J. Eaglesham
603	aCampbell	Campbellville	R. F. Twiss	G. R. Carbert
604	aPalace	Windsor	R. B. Thompson	H. Taylor
605	aMelita	Toronto	A. L. Lee	E. W. Skirrow
606	aUnity	Toronto	Harold Sinclair	H. Browning
607	aGolden Fleece	Toronto	F. A. Weber	T. Marshall
608	aGothic	Lindsay	G. K. Johnson	W. R. Alley
609	Tavistock	Tavistock	Henry Fullick	S. A. Goring
610	aAshlar	Byron	K. E. Yates	S. H. Bryant
611	aHuron-Bruce	Toronto	G. D. Bird	T. Harwood
612	aBirch Cliff	Toronto	A. J. Morganson	H. V. French
613	aFort Erie	Fort Erie	L. C. Russ	C. Hardy
614	aAdanac	Merriton	Walter Smith	W. G. Crandon
615	aDominion	Ridgeway	H. F. Bahm	E. J. Horney
616	aPerfection	St. Catharines	R. K. Yeo	W. C. Ellis
617	aNorth Bay	North Bay	A. S. Haley	C. Dennis
618	aThunder Bay	Port Arthur	T. A. Waugh	S. E. Forneri
619	aRunnymede	Toronto	H. G. Hyland	W. J. Armstrong
620	aBay of Quinte	Toronto	L. V. Duckworth	C. J. Cushnie
621	aFrontenac	Sharbot Lake	W. Newton	W. Meldrum
622	aLorne	Chapleau	N. W. Pellow	G. N. McKnight
623	Doric	Kirkland Lake	B. A. Darling	F. Washington
624	aDereham	Mount Elgin	R. E. Harris	W. J. M. Hart
625	aHatherly	Sault Ste. Marie	E. L. Hewett	G. R. Lee, Act'g.
626	aStamford	Stamford Centre	J. E. W. Skinner	R. F. Cooper
627	aPelee	Scudder	E. F. Holl	W. J. Wiper
628	aGlenrose	Elmira	R. M. Brubacher	F. C. Ruppel
629	aGrenville	Toronto	R. W. McKay	J. A. Eyre
630	aPrince of Wales	Toronto	A. H. Hopkins	H. J. Campbell
631	Manitou	Emo	J. L. Whiddon	E. L. Botel
632	aLong Branch	Mimico	E. E. McCombe	F. H. Ranney
633	aHastings	Hastings	Harold Fife	H. J. McColl
634	aDelta	Toronto	N. H. Brown	A. Lawrence
635	aWellington	Toronto	L. A. Callingham	N. J. Nixon
636	aHornepayne	Hornepayne	L. I. Sawchyn	P. C. Walther
637	aCaledonia	Toronto	G. R. Stinson	G. McBain
638	aBedford	Toronto	Harold Dearney	T. Adams
639	aBeach	Hamilton Beach	Stephen Paton	B. E. Hulford
640	aAnthony Sayer	Mimico	J. M. Davy	A. W. Bryan
641	aGarden	Windsor	F. W. Badder	J. Briges
642	aSt. Andrew's	Windsor	B. W. Baker	C. W. Flett
643	aCathedral	Toronto	H. C. Tolmie	A. Irvine
644	aSimcoe	Toronto	H. M. Hurst	M. J. Leatherdale
645	aLake Shore	Mimico	J. H. Wilson	H. E. Newton
646	Rowland	Mount Albert	H. G. Park	K. G. Lees
647	aTodmorden	Todmorden	G. E. Brown	R. Moss

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## RETURNS OF LODGES AS

For Secretary's Address look first at list of Special Addresses, Page 244 to 251  
 Lodges marked (a) hold their Installation of Officers on or near the Festival  
 The names of the W. M. and Secretary

No. of  
Lodge

Lodge	Where Held	W. Master	Secretary
648 aSpruce Falls	Kapuskasing	F. N. Rupert	E. Bonner
649 aTemple	Oshawa	J. F. Carey	O. D. Friend
650 aFidelity	Toledo	C. D. Maxwell	J. K. Dawson
651 aDentonia	Toronto	D. N. Robertson	W. Tennent
652 aMemorial	Toronto	James Sim	W. J. Finch
653 aScarboro	Agincourt	R. S. Rennie	R. M. Owen
654 aAncient Landmarks	Hamilton	L. A. Staples	J. D. Taylor
655 aKingsway	Lambton Mills	L. B. Reid	H. C. Startup
656 aKenogamisis	Geraldton	P. E. Trussler	D. H. Bowron
657 aCorinthian	Kirkland Lake	Dennis Ball	W. D. Stroud
658 aSudbury	Sudbury	J. R. Horne	G. H. Barnett
659 aEquity	Orillia	A. W. Smith	H. G. Graham
660 aChukuni	Red Lake	F. Reid	J. E. J. Fahlgren
661 aSt. Andrew's	St. Catharines	W. P. Travis	E. R. Lewis
662 aTerrace Bay	Terrace Bay	Alex. Tweedie	R. H. Scowen
663 aBrant	Burlington	W. A. Klainka	W. J. B. Kay
664 aSunnylea	Lambton Mills	L. J. Wildridge	E. H. Bouchier
665 aTemple	Ottawa	J. A. Enstone	Maxwell Hopper
666 aTemple	Belleville	Eugene Rose	M. R. Davidson
667 aComposite	Hamilton	G. T. Abel	H. Tait
668 aAtikokan	Atikokan	D. S. McCuaig	M. Waranuk
669 aCorinthian	Cornwall	D. C. Farlinger	F. E. Eaton
670 aWest Hill	Agincourt	J. J. Laing	A. J. Grigsby
671 aWestmount	Hamilton	A. M. Schmidt	A. G. Adams
672 aSuperior	Red Rock	J. C. Scott	C. J. S. Hall
673 aKempfeldt	Barrie	R. E. Greer	J. Poppleton
674 aSouth Gate	Port Credit	J. H. Wilton	J. M. Burgess
675 aWilliam James Dunlop	Peterborough	J. A. Hill	D. E. Bell
676 aKroy	Thornhill	W. A. Varley	H. G. Jackson
677 aCoronation	Weston	G. H. Thomas	F. Thain
678 aMercer Wilson	Woodstock	J. M. Elliott	E. J. Pow
679 aCentennial	Stamford Centre	J. L. Grierson	J. N. Withey
680 aWoodland	Wawa	R. J. Latimer	B. G. Turner
681 aClaude M. Kent	Oakville	D. W. Shaw	W. S. McKay
682 aAstra	Weston	J. M. Boak	G. A. McLain
683 aWexford	Agincourt	W. L. Stricker	R. D. Buchanan
684 aCentennial	London	W. J. Bradley	C. J. Hill
685 aJoseph A. Hearn	Port Credit	G. E. Poyner	J. Craig
686 aAtom	Deep River	Walter Cowan	J. H. Snadden
687 aMeridian	Dundas	T. R. Davies	G. W. Roberts
688 aWyndham	Guelph	H. G. Zeigler	J. F. Heap
689 aFlower City	Brampton	Gordon Kearns	W. C. Gillingham
690 aTemple	Kitchener	W. E. James	Hugh Taylor
691 aFriendship	Copper Cliff	C. E. Wilton	G. O. Price
692 aThomas Hamilton	Simpson	J. H. Lee	Leighton McDermid
	Stoney Creek	E. J. Read	K. S. Thompson
693 aEast Gate	Agincourt	E. K. Rupert	A. E. Brunt
694 aBaldoon	Wallaceburg	J. W. Lowry	R. F. Woodward
695 aParkwood	Oshawa	W. T. Overend	E. L. Kidson
696 aHarry L. Martyn	Toronto	F. G. White	W. W. Tanner
697 aGrantham	Port Dalhousie	K. H. Stubbs	L. D. Davis
698 aElliot Lake	Elliot Lake	G. F. Leigh	R. H. McPhee
699 aBethel	Sudbury	D. R. Calder	R. H. White
700 aCorinthian	Kintore	W. H. Smith	S. E. L. Woodman
UD  Ashlar	Tillsonburg		

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No. of Lodge	Night of Meeting	Initiated	Passed	Raised	Joined	Restored	Resigned	Deaths	Suspend.	Members 31 Dec. 1957	Members 31 Dec. 1958
648	2nd Monday	6	4	8	1		1			215	221
649	3rd Tuesday	11	16	16	3	1	3	8	5	309	313
650	1st Monday	2	16	12				1	61	57	
651	1st Thursday	16	15	17	2	1	1	3	5	297	304
652	2nd Monday	7	8	9	1	1	2	5	4	293	291
653	4th Monday	13	13	13	3	1	3	3	1	242	251
654	4th Tuesday	2	3	4	1	1	1	2	2	212	208
655	3rd Monday	4	6	4	2	1	1	6	4	193	192
656	1st Wednesday	14	10	10	2	1	4		2	176	187
657	3rd Tuesday	10	11	7			4	4	1	127	129
658	3rd Monday	12	16	18	1	1	1	1		216	227
659	2nd Tuesday	11	9	12	4	1	4			156	167
660	2nd Wednesday	10	5	2	1			1		115	125
661	4th Friday	3	1	2					5	160	158
662	2nd Thursday	4	7	4	1		2	1	2	132	132
663	3rd Monday	4	6	5	6		5	1	1	173	175
664	4th Friday	4	5	9	2		3	2	2	164	165
665	3rd Friday	6	5	7			1	1	1	129	135
666	1st Monday	9	9	13	2		1			131	141
667	3rd Wednesday	10	9	11	2		1			119	128
668	1st Wednesday	6	7	7						94	102
669	2nd Thursday	7	9	9			3	2	1	109	112
670	3rd Wednesday	13	12	12	3		2	2		130	142
671	4th Tuesday	5	6	8	1	1	1		3	120	123
672	2nd Wednesday	4	5	6	1	1				97	102
673	1st Tuesday	6	6	6	3		3			108	114
674	1st Tuesday	6	6	6						87	95
675	3rd Wednesday	12	12	11	2				3	115	125
676	1st Friday	12	13	18						118	129
677	2nd Monday	12	14	23					1	124	138
678	3rd Wednesday	5	3	1	4	2				80	89
679	3rd Tuesday	9	7	6	1			1		57	65
680	2nd Thursday	3	3	4			1	2	1	63	62
681	2nd Wednesday	10	10	8	2				1	60	71
682	2nd Thursday	15	16	13	3					91	109
683	1st Friday	15	15	18	4	1		1	1	86	104
684	1st Tuesday	9	7	7	4					140	153
685	1st Friday	8	13	5	1		2			104	111
686	2nd Tuesday	10	18	17			6			93	99
687	2nd Wednesday	11	9	9			3		1	33	49
688	3rd Wednesday	8	7	4	10	3		1	1	38	50
689	2nd Thursday	14	11	11	8					45	68
690	3rd Wednesday	7	7	5						33	48
691	2nd Wednesday	11	11	5	7					25	36
692	3rd Thursday	14	13	5	7			1		38	59
693	2nd Wednesday	7	4	2	54					60	
694	1st Wednesday	11	8	8	25					36	
695	2nd Thursday	11	7	7	48					59	
696	1st wee day after 28th	2	1	1	61					63	
697	Last Monday	8	—	—	42					50	
698	2nd Friday	—	—	—	—					—	
699	2nd Wednesday	—	—	—	—					—	
700	2nd Tuesday	—	—	—	—					—	
UD	1st Thursday	—	—	—	—					—	

## P. O. ADDRESSES OF SECRETARIES

Special addresses of Secretaries of Lodges in the Cities and in other places where the Secretary's address is not the same as that of the Lodge.

No.	Lodge	Location	Secretary and P.O. Address
5	Sussex	Brockville	R. H. Wallace, 388 King St. W.
6	The Barton	Hamilton	J. E. Piercy, 197 Prospect St. S.
10	Norfolk	Simcoe	G. F. Anger, 45 Kent St.
11	Moira	Belleville	H. C. McElrath, 49 Dunbar St.
15	St. George's	St. Catharines	W. E. Thompson, 31 Dacotah St.
16	St. Andrew's	Toronto	S. M. Sinclair, 78 Grosvenor St. (5)
17	St. John's	Cobourg	H. R. Quantrill, 177 Albert St.
20	St. John's	London	W. H. Kipp, 124 Base Line Rd.
22	King Solomon's	Toronto	H. E. Sutton, 52 Southwood Dr. (8)
23	Richmond	Richmond Hill	H. W. R. Sayers, 63 Starlight Cr.
24	St. Francis	Smiths Falls	G. P. Marshall, 25 McEwen Ave.
25	Ionic	Toronto	A. A. Evans, 259 Glencairn Ave., (12).
27	Strict Observance	Hamilton	B. W. Sharpe, 20 Paisley Ave. S.
35	St. John's	Cayuga	R. M. Murphy, R.R. No. 1
38	Trent	Trenton	V. P. Carswell, 60 Heber St.
40	St. John's	Hamilton	C. E. Heal, 136 Brantdale St.
41	St. George's	Kingsville	M. Snook, Box 23, Ruthven
42	St. George's	London	D. A. McDonald, 478 Central Ave.
43	King Solomon's	Woodstock	A. W. Massie, 717 Rathbourne Ave.
44	St. Thomas	St. Thomas	N. E. Rolling, 215 Sunset Dr.
45	Brant	Brantford	H. H. Clark, 59 King George Rd.
46	Wellington	Chatham	H. D. Paulucci, 47 Wilson Ave.
47	Great Western	Windsor	Albert Campbell, 1236 Winder- mere Rd.
52	Dalhousie	Ottawa	B. Lishman, 1412 Kilbourn Ave. (1)
54	Vaughan	Maple	W. O. Hallawell, Concord
56	Victoria	Sarnia	A. D. McMurtrie, 321 Talfourd St.
58	Dorie	Ottawa	R. F. Tubman, 55 Glen Ave., (1).
61	Acacia	Hamilton	D. R. Shaw, 668 Main St. E.
64	Kilwinning	London	E. C. Smith, 105 Langarth St. E.
65	Rehoboam	Toronto	F. R. Workman, 11 Brendan Rd. (17)
68	St. John's	Ingersoll	J. W. Dean, 308 Thames St. S.
69	Stirling	Stirling	V. Richardson, R.R. No. 2
72	Alma	Galt	A. G. Malcolm, 38 Samuelson St.
73	St. James	St. Marys	H. R. Alberts, 97 Water St.
74	St. James	S. Augusta	F. L. Bissell, Algonquin
75	St. John's	Toronto	B. E. Garrett, 251 Snowdon Ave. (12)
76	Oxford	Woodstock	C. E. Nettleton, 512 Princess St.
77	Faithful Brethren	Lindsay	C. H. Heels, 76 Glenelg St. W.
79	Simcoe	Bradford	J. F. Gray, R.R. 1, Bradford
81	St. John's	Mt. Brydges	L. M. Brown, R.R. No. 2
86	Wilson	Toronto	C. J. E. Lawer, 158 Colin Ave. (7)
87	Markham Union	Markham	W. B. H. Rose, 328 Peter St.
88	St. George's	Owen Sound	E. C. Rosskopf, 996 2nd Ave. E.
90	Manito	Collingwood	F. H. Bellamy, 198 Pine St.
92	Catarqui	Kingston	T. N. Clarke, 173 Macdonnell St.
96	Corinthian	Barrie	G. H. Scott, 20 Poyntz St.
99	Tuscan	Newmarket	T. A. Mitchell, 227 Eagle St.
100	Valley	Dundas	W. Law, 60 Hatt St.
101	Corinthian	Peterborough	R. F. Downey, 298 Boswell Ave.
103	Maple Leaf	St. Catharines	J. Thomson, 68 Merritt St.
105	St. Mark's	Niagara Falls	H. Higgins, 2078 Valley Way
107	St. Paul's	Lambeth	R. A. McDougall, R.R. No. 1, Glanworth
109	Albion	Harrowsmith	G. A. Goslin, Hartington.

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114	Hope	Port Hope	R. A. Gustar, 56 Pine St.
116	Cassia	Thedford	H. Briers, R.R. No. 4.
119	Maple Leaf	Bath	Herbert Weese, R.R. No. 2.
120	Warren	Fingal	W. B. D. Orchard, Shedden
121	Doric	Brantford	E. E. McIntyre, R. R. No. 1,
122	Renfrew	Renfrew	L. B. Smith, 5 Plaunt St. S.
123	Belleville	Belleville	H. G. Bates, 53 Everett St.
125	Cornwall	Cornwall	G. E. McCutcheon, 515 Guy St.
128	Pembroke	Pembroke	M. Doering, 558 Mary St.
133	Lebanon Forest	Exeter	C. Mawhinney, 310 Carling St.
139	Lebanon	Oshawa	Chas. Templar, 67 Whiting Ave.
140	Malahide	Aylmer	J. B. Wright, R.R. No. 3 St. Thomas
144	Tecumseh	Stratford	S. W. Rust, 203 Douglas St.
146	Prince of Wales	Newburgh	D. Sexsmith, R.R. No. 1 Wilton
148	Civil Service	Ottawa	E. D. Berry, 56 Glen Ave. (1)
151	Grand River	Kitchener	H. W. Rothaermel, 393 Park St.
155	Peterborough	Peterborough	E. E. Lee, 29 Cricket Place
156	York	Toronto	B. Simpson, 606 Millwood Rd., (7)
158	Alexandra	Oil Springs	W. Morley, R.R. No. 2
161	Percy	Warkworth	E. Ewing, Dartford
164	Star-in-the-East	Wellington	B. C. Tice, R.R. No. 1
165	Burlington	Burlington	R. J. M. Allen, 510 Martha St.
168	Merritt	Welland	H. E. Stark, 21 Church St. W.
169	Macnab	Port Colborne	C. M. McNeil, R. R. No. 2
171	Prince of Wales	Iona Station	W. G. Agar, R. R. No. 4
174	Walsingham	Port Rowan	H. C. Unger, R.R. No. 2 St. Williams
177	The Builders	Ottawa	D. G. Hewer, 33 Warwick Place
180	Speed	Guelph	A. J. Hawker, 47 Edgehill Dr.
185	Enniskillen	York	A. McConachie, R.R. No. 3 Hagersville.
192	Orillia	Orillia	C. O. Parnaby, 62 Jarvis St.
193	Scotland	Scotland	C. R. McEwan, Oakland
194	Petrolia	Petrolia	J. A. McCabe, 507 Grove St.
195	The Tuscan	London	R. T. Dunlop, 550 St. George St.
200	St. Alban's	Mount Forest	H. J. Corley, R.R. No. 3
209	St. John's	London	F. B. Robinson, 36 Grand Ave.
209	Evergreen	Lanark	Arthur Ennis, Fallbrook
215	Lake	Ameliasburg	Gerald Redner, R.R. No. 1
218	Stevenson	Toronto	J. H. Johnston, 445 Castlefield Ave.
219	Credit	Georgetown	G. S. Wright, 50 Byron St.
220	Zeredatha	Uxbridge	R. Hudson, 71 First St.
221	Mountain	Thorold	C. R. Buss, 26 Welland St. S.
228	Prince Arthur	Odessa	Percy Wright, Westbrook.
229	Ionic	Brampton	C. A. Firman, 106 Elizabeth St. S.
230	Kerr	Barrie	V. E. Knight, 50 Burton Ave.
231	Lodge of Fidelity	Ottawa	E. Jenkins, 31 Findlay Ave.
233	Doric	Parkhill	C. J. Fox, R.R. No. 7
237	Vienna	Vienna	Lyle Walsh, Straffordville
242	Macoy	Mallorytown	A. M. Purvis, R.R. No. 3
245	Tecumseh	Thamesville	W. E. Hopper, R. R. No. 1
247	Ashlar	Toronto	P. F. Wayman, 222 Richview Ave., (10).
249	Caledonian	Midland	J. J. Robins, 316 Second St.
250	Thistle	Embroy	D. J. McLeod, R. R. No. 6
253	Minden	Kingston	G. H. Veale, 437 Johnson St. Apt. 2
254	Clifton	Niagara Falls	F. Want, 647 McDougal Crescent.
257	Galt	Galt	G. J. Johnson, 55 Lansdowne Rd. S.
258	Guelph	Guelph	T. Jackson, 17 Kensington St.
259	Springfield	Springfield	F. E. Harris, Brownsville
264	Chaudiere	Ottawa	M. H. Chapman, 86 Blackburn Av.

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No.	Lodge	Location	Secretary and P.O. Address
265	Patterson	Thornhill	G. A. Russell, 182 Snowden Ave., Toronto (12)
267	Parthenon	Chatham	John Ryan, 114 West St.
269	Brougham Union	Claremont	S. S. J. Pugh, Locust Hill, R.R. No. 1.
270	Cedar	Oshawa	E. F. Farrow, 94 Ritson Rd. S.
271	Wellington	Erin	Stewart Scott, Belfountain
272	Seymour	Ancaster	E. McMullen, 1169 Wilson Ave., Hamilton
274	Kent	Blenheim	E. L. Jacklin, 28 Elizabeth St.
276	Teeswater	Teeswater	Peter Moffat, R.R. No. 3
277	Seymour	Port Dalhousie	B. E. Schaab, 31 Tecumseh St. St. Catharines
279	New Hope	Hespeler	G. Henderson, 125 Cooper St.
283	Eureka	Belleville	R. L. Orr, 28 Southview Ave.
285	Seven Star	Alliston	R. N. Walker, Box 4, Camp Borden
289	Doric	Lobo	W. Keays, R.R. 1, Hyde Park
290	Leamington	Leamington	R. D. McLean, 29 Oak St. E.
291	Dufferin	W. Flamboro	D. W. Dunkin, 6 Tweedsmuir Ave., Dundas
292	Robertson	King	F. E. Boys, Oak Ridges P.O., R.R. 3
294	Moore	Courtright	B. C. Kitchen, R.R. 1, Mooretown
296	Temple	St. Catharines	F. R. Davis, 23 Albert St.
297	Preston	Preston	W. Graystone, 426 Margaret St.
300	Mount Olivet	Thorndale	C. V. Fox, 953 Colborne St., London
302	St. David's	St. Thomas	K. S. Woodward, 45 Redan St.
304	Minerva	Stroud	J. H. Wilson, R.R. No. 1
305	Humber	Weston	G. E. Medhurst, 30 Robert St. (15).
307	Arkona	Arkona	G. S. Lampman, R.R. No. 2, Thedford.
309	Morning Star	Carlow	R. D. Munro, Auburn
312	Pnyx	Wallaceburg	J. H. Burnett, 647 Wall St.
313	Clementi	Lakefield	D. A. Nichols, Caroline St.
316	Doric	Toronto	A. J. Collins, 67 MacDonald Ave., Weston (15)
322	North Star	Owen Sound	J. J. Teschke, 715-3rd Ave. E.
324	Temple	Hamilton	J. Turner, 18 Bevan Court
326	Zetland	Toronto	P. E. Wootton, 252 Hanna Rd. (17)
328	Ionic	Napier	Evan Denning, R.R. No. 3, Strathroy
330	Corinthian	London	W. E. Bradt, 16 Cove Rd.
332	Stratford	Stratford	A. A. Shaw, 108 Douro St.
338	Dufferin	Wellandport	F. Donovan, R.R. No. 1
339	Orient	Toronto	A. M. Watt, 30 Taylor Dr., (6).
341	Bruce	Tiverton	L. MacKenzie, R.R. No. 3 Kin- cardine.
343	Georgina	Toronto	P. W. Davies, 229 Symington Av. (9)
345	Nilestown	Nilestown	R. J. Carswell, 516 Hamilton Rd. London
346	Occident	Toronto	J. T. Berry, 201 Melrose Ave. (12)
358	Delaware Valley	Delaware	G. F. McKay, R. R. No. 1
359	Vittoria	Vittoria	S. R. Hancock, 203 Talbot St. S., Simcoe.
361	Waverley	Guelph	R. G. Stephens, City Hall
364	Dufferin	Melbourne	J. C. McLean, R.R. No. 1, Walkers
367	St. George	Toronto	W. F. Damp, 63 Southvale Dr. (17)
368	Salem	Brockville	A. G. Ingle, 250 Park St.
369	Mimico	Lambton Mills	J. Kendall, 120 Lloyd Manor Rd. Toronto 18
370	Harmony	Delta	Don Elliott, Chantry

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371	Prince of Wales	Ottawa	H. J. Sykes, 634 Churchill Ave.
372	Palmer	Fort Erie	R. E. Gardiner, 188 Henrietta St.
373	Cope-Stone	Welland	W. B. Martin, 234 Willson Rd.
374	Keene	Keene	D. R. Comrie, R.R. 3, Keene
376	Unity	Huntsville	S. G. Avery, 147 Main St.
377	Lorne	Shelburne	W. Newell, R.R. No. 3
378	King Solomon's	London	L. M. Clark, 444 Dorinda St.
379	Middlesex	Bryanston	H. Foster, R.R. No. 4, Ilderton.
380	Union	London	R.E. Tillson, 194 Belgrave Ave.
382	Doric	Hamilton	W. J. Macintosh, 72 Kenilworth Ave. S.
384	Alpha	Toronto	W. H. Brown, 69 Oak Park Ave. (13)
386	McColl	West Lorne	V. Bury, R.R. No. 2
387	Lansdowne	Lansdowne	R. A. Running, R.R. No. 1
388	Henderson	Ilderton	B. R. Clemance, R.R. 1, Denfield
392	Huron	Camlachie	M. Burnley, R. R. No. 2
399	Moffat	Harrietsville	G. Corless, R.R. No. 1, Springfield
400	Oakville	Oakville	E. C. Cox, 69 Bartos Dr.
402	Central	Essex	C. G. Johnston, 32 Alice St. S.
403	Windsor	Windsor	A. Shaw, 274 Giles Blvd. W.
409	Golden Rule	Gravenhurst	W. E. McDonald, 491 Phillip St. E.
410	Zeta	Toronto	H. L. Bennett, 83 Allanbrook Dr., Islington.
412	Keystone	Sault Ste. Marie	A. R. Priddle, 115 Wellington St. E.
414	Pequonga	Kenora	H. S. Cade, 313 First St. N.
419	Liberty	Sarnia	A. W. Jordan, 264 Campbell St.
426	Stanley	Toronto	J. L. Johnson, 202 Drewry Ave., Willowdale
427	Nickel	Sudbury	P. A. Coates, 107 Pine St.
430	Acacia	Toronto	H. A. Sinclair, 52 Balsam Ave. (8).
431	Moravian	Cargill	J. M. Reid, Pinkerton
434	Algonquin	Emsdale	H. R. Hayward, Scotia Box 7
437	Tuscan	Sarnia	F. J. Sanders, 316 Ross Ave.
438	Harmony	Toronto	D. S. Cody, 32 Kimbark Blvd. 12
440	Arcadia	Minden	Vinton Loucks, R. R. No. 1
441	Westport	Westport	Fred Butterill, R.R. No. 2, Godfrey
446	Granite	Fort Frances	W. T. Russell, 428 Second St. E.
447	Sturgeon Falls	Sturgeon Falls	G. R. Bartlett, Warren
450	Hawkesbury	Hawkesbury	W. T. R. Hay, Thorne St.
453	Royal	Fort William	J. A. Macdonald, 350 N. Archibald St.
456	Elma	Monkton	C. S. Harrison, R.R. No. 1
458	Wales	Longue Sault	J. H. Maginnis, Lunenburg
467	Tottenham	Tottenham	A. McLean, Palgrave
468	Peel	Caledon East	Geo. A. Evans, R.R. No. 1
469	Algoma	Sault Ste. Marie	D. Willock Jr., 183 Woodward Ave.
473	The Beaches	Toronto	F. F. Mills, 114 Fallingbrook Rd. (13)
474	Victoria	Toronto	Norman Henry, 5 Oakburn Cres., Willowdale
475	Dundurn	Hamilton	G. Milne, 85 Lottridge St.
476	Corinthian	North Gower	N. F. Sherman, Manotick
481	Corinthian	Toronto	F. Wright, 99 Inwood Ave. 6
484	Golden Star	Dryden	H. J. Squire, 208 Wilson St.
489	Osiris	Smiths Falls	J. S. Allan, 4 Florence St.
494	Riverdale	Toronto	S. F. McCall, 126 Glenvale Blvd., (17).
495	The Electric	Hamilton	D. Ritchie, 267 East 11th St.
496	University	Toronto	E. J. Walkom, 384 Strathmore Blvd. (6)
497	St. Andrew's	Arden	Harry Davis, Cloyne.

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499	Port Arthur	Port Arthur	S. H. Green, 669 Red River Rd.
500	Rose	Windsor	Geo. K. Pinney, 1765 Chilver Rd. Walkerville
501	Connaught	Mimico	S. J. Smith, 27-30th St. (14).
503	Inwood	Inwood	J. R. Graham, RR. No 3. Oil City
504	Otter	Lombardy	H. C. Imerson, R. R. No. 1
505	Lynden	Lynden	H. B. Dayman, Troy
506	Porcupine	S. Porcupine	J. Reid, 209 Main St.
508	Ozias	Brantford	J. M. Buchanan, 31 Morrell St.
509	Twin City	Kitchener	H. J. Orpen, 96 Braeside Street, Waterloo.
510	Parkdale	Toronto	E. H. Wilson, 11 Vickson Court Islington
511	Connaught	Fort William	E. T. Hughes, 183 E. Francis St.
513	Corinthian	Hamilton	A. G. Elford, 40 Linwood Ave.
514	St. Alban's	Toronto	A. D. Thompson, 121 Ashbourne Dr. (18)
515	Reba	Brantford	T. E. Greenaway, 15 First Ave.
517	Hazeldean	Hazeldean	G. A. Gracey, Stittsville
519	Onondaga	Onondaga	Wm. Kemp, 414 Nelson Street, Brantford
520	Coronati	Toronto	D. C. Little, 126 Parkview Hill Cresc. (16)
521	Ontario	Windsor	R. V. Wakely, 229 Buckingham Dr. Riverside
522	Mt. Sinai	Toronto	H. R. Fox, 42 Tarlton Rd. (7)
523	Royal Arthur	Peterborough	J. H. Cooper, 445 Arndon Ave
524	Mississauga	Port Credit	T. D. Bayley, 106 Mineola Rd. West
525	Temple	Toronto	G. G. Oulton, 23 McGillvray Ave. (12)
526	Ionic	Ottawa	W. E. Hay, 311 Tweedsmuir Ave.
527	Espanola	Espanola	K. R. Shore, 15 Mead Blvd.
529	Myra	Komoka	J. B. Frank, R.R. No. 3
631	High Park	Toronto	A. G. Thompson, 45 Princemere Crs., Scarborough.
532	Canada	Toronto	J. M. Stephen, 37 Queensdale Ave. (6).
533	Shamrock	Toronto	G. Lepper, 76 Amelia St.
535	Phoenix	Fonthill	J. M. B. McClellan, Ridgeville.
536	Algonquin	Copper Cliff	A. A. Watson, 11 Power St.
537	Ulster	Toronto	H. G. Holden, 86 Hiltz Ave (18)
539	Waterloo	Waterloo	N. A. MacEachern, 187 Albert St.
540	Abitibi	Iroquois Falls	C. G. Critchley, Monteith
541	Tuscan	Toronto	F. C. Craig, 154 Nairn Ave. (10)
542	Metropolitan	Toronto	W. D. Ferguson, 284 Millwood Rd. (7)
543	Imperial	Toronto	E. E. Reid, 380 Manor Rd. E. (7)
544	Lincoln	Abingdon	Rymal Nelson, R. R. 1, Smithville
545	John Ross	Robertson	J. H. Jackson, 80 Sun Row Dr., Weston.
546	Talbot	St. Thomas	W. A. McPherson, 38 Metcalf St.
547	The Victory	Toronto	J. H. Hartley, 769 Windermere Avenue (9)
548	General Mercer	Toronto	W. H. Quinn, 301 Pacific Ave. (9)
549	Ionic	Hamilton	A. W. Marshall, 279 Balmoral Ave. N.
550	Buchanan	Hamilton	J. G. Reid, 181 East 19th St.
551	Tuscan	Hamilton	R. A. Carter, 33 Rosedale Ave.
552	Queen City	Toronto	Walter Carey, 2052 Gerrard St., East (13)
553	Oakwood	Toronto	F. A. Scoviar, 28 Tanager Ave. Leaside (17)
554	Border Cities	Windsor	John Lock, 647 Cameron Ave.
555	Wardrope	Hamilton	M. E. Smith, 250 Main St. W.

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558	Sidney Albert Luke	Ottawa	Z. M. Niblock, 105 Faraday St.
559	Palestine	Toronto	H. Ginsberg, 24 Ronald Ave. (10)
560	St. Andrew's	Ottawa	J. N. Salter, 8 Westmount Ave.
561	Acacia	Ottawa	C. W. Carson, 530 Brierwood Ave.
562	Hamilton	Hamilton	H. A. Snell, 196 Mountain Park Ave, Apt. 12
563	Victory	Chatham	H. Whitehead, 79 Elizabeth St.
564	Ashlar	Ottawa	H. A. B. Barrett, P.O. Box 58, Stittsville.
565	Kilwinning	Toronto	Geo. Mitchell, 85 Annette St., (9)
566	King Hiram	Toronto	H. Hanwell, 84 Belgravia Ave. (10)
567	St. Aidan's	Toronto	H. J. Jeffery, 50 Glenvale Blvd. (17).
568	Hullett	Londesboro	W. Leiper, R.R. No. 1
570	Dufferin	Toronto	G. N. Walker, 2106 Russet Road, Port Credit
571	Antiquity	Toronto	R. M. Brown, 240 Cranbrooke Ave. (12)
572	Mizpah	Toronto	F. M. Shepherd, 223 Willard Ave. (3)
573	Adoniram	Niagara Falls	F. E. Wilson, 469 Hiram St.
575	Fidelity	Toronto	A. W. Kelly, 423 Lawrence Ave. W., Apt. 4.
576	Mimosa	Toronto	W. G. McCulloch, 2 Filbert Gate, Don Mills.
577	St. Clair	Toronto	G. Stephens, 35 Larkin Ave., (3).
578	Queen's	Kingston	A. H. Annable, 482 Johnson St.
579	Harmony	Windsor	D. Vannan, 1376 Pillette Rd.
580	Acacia	London	H. C. Steele, R.R. No. 10
581	Harcourt	Toronto	N. R. Firstbrook, 11 Elm Ave., Apt. 420, (5).
582	Sunnyside	Toronto	Cyril Buckingham, 57 Leroy Ave. (6)
583	Transportation	Toronto	F. W. Charles, 60 Ascot Ave. (10)
584	Kaministiquia	Fort William	H. M. Barth, 352 Kingsway
585	Royal Edward	Kingston	E. L. Earl, 252 Collingwood St.
586	Remembrance	Toronto	J. G. Porter, 81 Woodrow Ave. (6)
587	Patricia	Toronto	S. Donnan, 74 Haddington Ave. (12)
589	Grey	Toronto	T. Chard, 202 Glenview Ave. (12)
590	Defenders	Ottawa	A. McK. Shaw, 67 McKay St.
591	North Gate	Toronto	Kenneth B. Page, 138 Leacrest Rd., (17).
592	Fairbank	Toronto	J. D. Wotherspoon, 229 Lake Shore Dr. (14).
593	St. Andrew's	Hamilton	R. Strachan, 90 Tom St.
594	Hillcrest	Hamilton	G. A. Sweatman, 40 Alpine Ave.
595	Rideau	Ottawa	W. A. Hamm, 1285 Woodside Dr.
597	Temple	London	W. G. Stewart, 596 Adelaide St.
598	Dominion	Windsor	D. C. Taylor, 1138 Lincoln Rd.
599	Mt. Dennis	Weston	F. Thain, 12 Craydon Ave., Toronto 9
600	Maple Leaf	Toronto	R. A. Duff, 111 Newmarket Ave. (13)
601	St. Paul	Sarnia	W. E. Germain, 465 Devine St.
602	Hugh Murray	Hamilton	J. Eaglesham, 185 Kensington Ave. S.
603	Campbell	Campbellville	G. R. Cartert, R.R. No. 3
604	Palace	Windsor	Harry Taylor, 977 Bridge Ave.
605	Melita	Toronto	E. W. Skirrow, 47 Eastbourne Cres., Mimico 14
606	Unity	Toronto	H. Browning, 565 St. Clarens Ave (4)
607	Golden Fleece	Toronto	Thos. Marshall, 157 Roe Ave. (12)
608	Gothic	Lindsay	W. R. Alley, Town Hall

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610	Ashlar	Byron	S. H. Bryant, 25 Wonderland Rd., S., London
611	Huron-Bruce	Toronto	Thos. Harwood, 66 Warland Ave. (6)
612	Birch Cliff	Birch Cliff	H. V. French, 141 Dunnington Dr. (13)
613	Fort Erie	Fort Erie	C. Hardy, 89 Bertie St.
614	Adanac	Merritton	W. G. Crandon, 21 College St.
615	Dominion	Ridgeway	E. J. Horney, 458 North Mill St.
616	Perfection	St. Catharines	W. C. Ellis, 12 Cliff Rd.
617	North Bay	North Bay	C. Dennis, 790 Durril St.
618	Thunder Bay	Port Arthur	S. E. Forneri, 515 Red River Rd.
619	Runnymede	Toronto	W. J. Armstrong, 16 Graywood Dr. (18)
620	Bay of Quinte	Toronto	C. J. Cushnie, 4684 Dundas St., W., (18).
623	Doric	Kirkland Lake	F. Washington, 6 Comfort St.
624	Dereham	Mount Elgin	W. J. M. Hart, 37 Third St., Tillsonburg.
625	Hatherly	Sault Ste. Marie	G. R. Lee, (Act'g.), 184 Pim St.
626	Stamford	Stamford Centre	R. F. Cooper, 64 Longhurst Ave., Niagara Falls
627	Pele	Scudder	W. J. Wiper, Pelee Island
629	Grenville	Toronto	J. A. Eyre, 460 Gladstone Ave. (4)
630	Prince of Wales	Toronto	H. J. Campbell, 147 Eastbourne Ave. (7)
632	Long Branch	Mimico	F. H. Ranney, 417 Lake Pro- menade, Toronto 14.
633	Hastings	Hastings	H. J. McColl, Westwood
634	Delta	Toronto	A. Lawrence, 424 Rochamption Ave. (12)
635	Wellington	Toronto	N. J. Nixon, 148 Sheldrake Blvd., (12).
637	Caledonia	Toronto	Geo. McBain, 370 Broadway Ave. (12).
638	Bedford	Toronto	T. Adams, 17 Falcon St. (7)
639	Beach	Hamilton Beach	B. E. Hulford, 46 Cope St. N., Hamilton.
640	Anthony Sayer	Mimico	A. W. Bryan, 24 Stanley Ave. (14)
641	Garden	Windsor	John Briggs, 264 Reedmere Rd., Riverside.
642	St. Andrew's	Windsor	C. W. Flett, 442 Askin Blvd.
643	Cathedral	Toronto	Alex. Irvine, 308 Fairlawn Ave. (12)
644	Simcoe	Toronto	M. J. Leatherdale, 4 St. Clair Ave. W.
645	Lake Shore	Mimico	H. E. Newton, 42 Lake Cresc.
647	Todmorden	Todmorden	Roy Moss, 4 Stanhope Ave. Toronto. (6).
649	Temple	Oshawa	O. D. Friend, 124 Ritson R. S.
650	Fidelity	Toledo	J. K. Dawson, Frankville
651	Dentonia	Toronto	W. Tennent, 33 Panmure Cres., Scarborough.
652	Memorial	Toronto	W. J. Finch, 86 Grandville Ave.
653	Scarboro	Agincourt	R. M. Owen, 17 Lankin Blvd. (6)
654	Ancient	Landmarks	J. D. Taylor, 101 Dromore Cres.
655	Kingsway	Lambton Mills	H. C. Startup, 14 Robin Hood Rd., Islington.
658	Sudbury	Sudbury	G. H. Barnett, 111 Bloor St. Apt. 5
659	Equity	Orillia	H. G. Graham, 105 Cedar St.
660	Chukuni	Red Lake	J. E. J. Fahlgren, Cochenour
661	St. Andrew's	St. Catharines	E. R. Lewis, 10 Cameron Drive

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662	Terrace Bay	Terrace Bay	R. H. Scowen, 78 Hudson Dr.	
663	Brant	Burlington	W. J. B. Kay, 2058 Emerald Cres.	
664	Sunnylea	Lambton Mills	E. H. Bouchier, 19 Bermuda Ave., (18).	
665	Temple	Ottawa	Maxwell Hopper, 968 Byron Ave.	
666	Temple	Belleville	M. R. Davidson, R.R. No. 7	
667	Composite	Hamilton	H. Tait, 38 East 27th St.	
669	Corinthian	Cornwall	F. E. Eaton, 128 Fourth St., W.	
670	West Hill	Agincourt	A. J. Grigsby, Box 63, West Hill	
671	Westmount	Hamilton	A. G. Adams, 47 Douglas St.	
673	Kenpenfeldt	Barrie	Jas. Poppleton, 25 Holgate St.	
674	South Gate	Port Credit	J. M. Burgess, 1310 Minaki Rd.	
675	William James	Dunlop	Peterborough	D. E. Bell, 505 King St.
676	Kroy	Thornhill	H. G. Jackson, 140 Park Home Ave. Willowdale	
677	Coronation	Weston	F. Thain, 12 Craydon Ave. (9)	
678	Mercer Wilson	Woodstock	E. J. Pow, 125 Light St.	
679	Centennial	Stamford Centre	J. N. Withey, 2142 Burdett Dr., Niagara Falls.	
681	Claude M. Kent	Oakville	W. S. McKay, 17 Spruce St.	
682	Astra	Weston	G. A. McLain, 594 Trethewey Dr. (15)	
683	Wexford	Agincourt	R. D. Buchanan, 98 Ellendale Dr., Scarborough	
684	Centennial	London	Cecil J. Hill, 170 Bruce St.	
685	Joseph A. Hearn	Port Credit	J. Craig, 2058 Redan Drive	
686	Atomic	Deep River	J. H. Snedden, 19 Kelvin Cresc	
687	Meridian	Dundas	G. W. A. Roberts, 76 Ottawa St S. Hamilton	
688	Wyndham	Guelph	J. F. Heap, 24 Simcoe St.	
689	Flower City	Brampton	W. C. Gillingham, 127 Mill St. S.	
690	Temple	Kitchener	H. Taylor, 709 Rockway Dr.	
691	Friendship	Copper Cliff	G. O. Price, 253 Tenth Ave., Lively.	
692	Thomas Hamilton	Simpson	Stoney Creek	L. McDermid, 106 King St., E.
693	East Gate	Agincourt	K. S. Thompson, 80 Overton Cr., Don Mills.	
694	Baldoon	Wallaceburg	A. E. Brunt, 208 Hiram St.	
695	Parkwood	Oshawa	R. F. Woodward, 442 Cunningham Ave.	
696	Harry L. Martyn	Toronto	E. L. Kidson, 24 Cobham Cres., (16).	
697	Grantham	Port Dalhousie	W. W. Tanner, 143 Lakeshore Rd., St. Catharines.	

# List of Lodges—By Districts

## ALGOMA DISTRICT (11 Lodges) D.D.G.M.—R.W. Bro. H. J. Coe, Terrace Bay

No. 287—Shuniah	Port Arthur	No. 618—Thunder Bay	Pt. Arthur
No. 415—Fort William	Fort William	No. 636—Hornepayne	Hornepayne
No. 453—Royal	Fort William	No. 656—Kenogamisis	Geraldton
No. 499—Port Arthur	Port Arthur	No. 662—Terrace Bay	Terrace Bay
No. 511—Connaught	Fort William	No. 672—Superior	Red Rock
No. 584—Kaministiquia	Ft. William		

## BRANT DISTRICT—(14 Lodges) D.D.G.M.—R.W. Bro. S. E. Painter, Brantford

No. 35—St. John's	Cayuga	No. 243—St. George	St. George
No. 45—Brant	Brantford	No. 319—Hiram	Hagersville
No. 82—St. John's	Paris	No. 329—King Solomon	Jarvis
No. 106—Burford	Burford	No. 505—Lynden	Lynden
No. 113—Wilson	Waterford	No. 508—Ozias	Brantford
No. 121—Dorie	Brantford	No. 515—Reba	Brantford
No. 193—Scotland	Scotland	No. 519—Onondaga	Onondaga

## BRUCE DISTRICT—(12 Lodges) D.D.G.M.—R.W. Bro. R. A. DeLong, Southampton

No. 131—St. Lawrence	Southampton	No. 393—Forest	Chesley
No. 197—Saugeen	Walkerton	No. 396—Cedar	Wiarton
No. 235—Aldworth	Paisley	No. 429—Port Elgin	Port Elgin
No. 262—Harriston	Harriston	No. 431—Moravian	Cargill
No. 315—Clifford	Clifford	No. 432—Hanover	Hanover
No. 362—Maple Leaf	Tara	No. 436—Burns	Hepworth

## CHATHAM DISTRICT—(15 Lodges) D.D.G.M.—R.W. Bro. H. B. Sands, Wallaceburg

No. 46—Wellington	Chatham	No. 327—Hammond	Wardsville
No. 245—Tecumseh	Thamesville	No. 336—Highgate	Highgate
No. 255—Sydenham	Dresden	No. 390—Florence	Florence
No. 267—Parthenon	Chatham	No. 391—Howard	Ridgetown
No. 274—Kent	Blenheim	No. 422—Star of the East	Bothwell
No. 282—Lorne	Glencoe	No. 457—Century	Merlin
No. 312—Pnyx	Wallaceburg	No. 563—Victory	Chatham
		No. 694—Baldoon	Wallaceburg

## EASTERN DISTRICT—(19 Lodges) D.D.G.M.—R.W. Bro. D. S. MacPhee, Vankleek Hill

No. 21a—St. John's	Vankleek Hill	No. 418—Maxville	Maxville
No. 125—Cornwall	Cornwall	No. 439—Alexandria	Alexandria
No. 142—Excelsior	Morrisburg	No. 450—Hawkesbury	Hawkesbury
No. 143—Friendly Brothers' Iroquois		No. 452—Avonmore	Avonmore
No. 186—Plantagenet	Riceville	No. 458—Wales	Longue Sault
No. 207—Lancaster	Lancaster	No. 480—Williamsburg	Williamsburg
No. 256—Farran-Ault	Ingleside	No. 491—Cardinal	Cardinal
No. 320—Chesterville	Chesterville	No. 557—Finch	Finch
No. 383—Henderson	Winchester	No. 596—Martintown	Martintown
		No. 669—Corinthian	Cornwall

## FRONTENAC DISTRICT—(18 Lodges) D.D.G.M.—R.W. Bro. A. Bruee Caughey, Stella

No. 3—Ancient St. John's	Kingston	No. 253—Mindens	Kingston
No. 9—Union	Napanee	No. 299—Victoria	Centreville
No. 92—Cataraqui	Kingston	No. 404—Lorne	Tamworth
No. 109—Albion	Harrowsmith	No. 441—Westport	Westport
No. 119—Maple Leaf	Bath	No. 460—Rideau	Seeley's Bay
No. 146—Prince of Wales	Newburgh	No. 497—St. Andrew's	Arden
No. 157—Simpson	Newboro	No. 578—Queen's	Kingston
No. 201—Leeds	Gananoque	No. 585—Royal Edward	Kingston
No. 228—Prince Arthur	Odessa	No. 621—Frontenac	Sharbot Lake

## GEORGIAN DISTRICT—(20 Lodges)

D.D.G.M.—R.W. Bro. R. N. Walker, Camp Borden

No. 90—Manito	Collingwood	No. 385—Spry	Beeton
No. 96—Corinthian	Barrie	No. 444—Nitetsis	Creemore
No. 192—Orillia	Orillia	No. 466—Coronation	Elmvale
No. 230—Kerr	Barrie	No. 467—Tottenham	Tottenham
No. 234—Beaver	Thornbury	No. 470—Victoria	Victoria Harbour
No. 236—Manitoba	Cookstown	No. 492—Karnak	Coldwater
No. 249—Caledonian	Midland	No. 538—Earl Kitchener	Pt. McNicoll
No. 266—Northern Light	Stayner	No. 659—Equity	Orillia
No. 285—Seven Star	Alliston	No. 673—Kempcnfeldt	Barrie
No. 304—Minerva	Stroud		
No. 348—Georgian	Penetanguishene		

## GREY DISTRICT—(12 Lodges)

D.D.G.M.—R.W. Bro. Bruce R. R. Fife, Grand Valley

No. 88—St. George's	Owen Sound	No. 333—Prince Arthur	Flesherton
No. 137—Pythagoras	Meaford	No. 334—Prince Arthur	Arthur
No. 200—St. Alban's	Mount Forest	No. 377—Lorne	Shelburne
No. 216—Harris	Orangeville	No. 421—Scott	Grand Valley
No. 306—Durham	Durham	No. 449—Dundalk	Dundalk
No. 322—North Star	Owen Sound	No. 490—Hiram	Markdale

## HAMILTON DISTRICT A—(19 Lodges)

D.D.G.M.—R.W. Bro. J. E. Piercy, Hamilton

No. 6—The Barton	Hamilton	No. 475—Dundurn	Hamilton
No. 40—St. John's	Hamilton	No. 513—Corinthian	Hamilton
No. 100—Valley	Dundas	No. 551—Tuscan	Hamilton
No. 135—St. Clair	Milton	No. 562—Hamilton	Hamilton
No. 165—Burlington	Burlington	No. 602—Hugh Murray	Hamilton
No. 272—Seymour	Ancaster	No. 603—Campbell	Campbellville
No. 291—Dufferin	W. Flamboro	No. 663—Brant	Burlington
No. 324—Temple	Hamilton	No. 681—Claude M. Kent	Oakville
No. 357—Waterdown	Millgrove	No. 687—Meridian	Dundas
No. 400—Oakville	Oakville		

## HAMILTON DISTRICT B (20 Lodges)

D.D.G.M.—R.W. Bro. H. A. Martindale, Caledonia

No. 7—Union	Grimsby	No. 550—Buchanan	Hamilton
No. 27—Strict Observance	Hamilton	No. 555—Wardrobe	Hamilton
No. 57—Harmony	Binbrook	No. 593—St. Andrew's	Hamilton
No. 61—Acacia	Hamilton	No. 594—Hillcrest	Hamilton
No. 62—St. Andrew's	Caledonia	No. 639—Beach	Hamilton Beach
No. 166—Wentworth	Stoney Creek	No. 654—Ancient Landmarks	Hamilton
No. 185—Enniskillen	York		
No. 382—Doric	Hamilton	No. 667—Composite	Hamilton
No. 495—The Electric	Hamilton	No. 671—Westmount	Hamilton
No. 544—Lincoln	Abingdon	No. 692—Thomas Hamilton	
No. 549—Ionic	Hamilton	Simpson	Stoney Creek

## LONDON DISTRICT—(24 Lodges)

D.D.G.M.—R.W. Bro. J. C. Sutherland, London

No. 20—St. John's	London	No. 358—Delaware Valley	Delaware
No. 42—St. George's	London	No. 378—King Solomon's	London
No. 64—Kilwinning	London	No. 379—Middlesex	Bryanston
No. 107—St. Paul's	Lambeth	No. 380—Union	London
No. 190—Belmont	Belmont	No. 388—Henderson	Ilderton
No. 195—The Tuscan	London	No. 394—King Solomon	Thamesford
No. 209a—St. John's	London	No. 399—Moffat	Harrietsville
No. 289—Dorie	Lobo	No. 529—Myra	Komoka
No. 300—Mount Olivet	Thorndale	No. 580—Acacia	London
No. 330—Corinthian	London	No. 597—Temple	London
No. 344—Merrill	Dorchester	No. 610—Ashlar	Byron
No. 345—Nilestown	Nilestown	No. 684—Centennial	London

## MUSKOKA — PARRY SOUND DISTRICT—(8 Lodges)

D.D.G.M.—R.W. Bro. W. E. McDonald, Gravenhurst

No. 352—Granite	Parry Sound	No. 423—Strong	Sundridge
No. 360—Muskoka	Bracebridge	No. 434—Algonquin	Emsdale
No. 376—Unity	Huntsville	No. 443—Powassan	Powassan
No. 409—Golden Rule	Gravenhurst	No. 454—Corona	Burks Falls

**NIAGARA A DISTRICT—(14 Lodges)**  
**D.D.G.M.—R.W. Bro. W. W. MacDonald, Thorold**

No. 2—Niagara	Niagara-on-Lake	No. 296—Temple	St. Catharines
No. 15—St. George's	St. Catharines	No. 333—Dufferin	Wellandport
No. 32—Amity	Dunnville	No. 502—Coronation	Smithville
No. 103—Maple Leaf	St. Catharines	No. 614—Adanac	Merritton
No. 115—Ivy	Beamsville	No. 616—Perfection	St. Catharines
No. 221—Mountain	Thorold	No. 661—St. Andrew's	St. Catharines
No. 277—Seymour	Port Dalhousie	No. 697—Grantham	Pt. Dalhousie

**NIAGARA B DISTRICT—(14 Lodges)**  
**D.D.G.M.—R.W. Bro. W. J. Stonehouse, Niagara Falls**

No. 105—St. Mark's	Niagara Falls	No. 471—King Edward VII	Chippawa
No. 168—Merritt	Welland	No. 535—Phoenix	Fonthill
No. 169—Macnab	Port Colborne	No. 573—Adoniram	Niagara Falls
No. 254—Clifton	Niagara Falls	No. 613—Fort Erie	Fort Erie
No. 337—Myrtle	Port Robinson	No. 615—Dominion	Ridgeway
No. 372—Palmer	Fort Erie	No. 626—Stamford	Stamford Centre
No. 373—Cope-Stone	Welland	No. 679—Centennial	Stamford Centre

**NIPISSING EAST DISTRICT—(8 Lodges)**  
**D.D.G.M.—R.W. Bro. A. S. R. Easey, North Bay**

No. 405—Mattawa	Mattawa	No. 485—Haileybury	Haileybury
No. 420—Nipissing	North Bay	No. 486—Silver	Cobalt
No. 447—SturgeonFa.	SturgeonFalls	No. 507—Elk Lake	Elk Lake
No. 462—Teniskwak	NewLiskeard	No. 617—North Bay	North Bay

**NIPISSING WEST DISTRICT—(17 Lodges)**  
**D.D.G.M.—R.W. Bro. M. F. Lees, Blind River**

No. 412—Keystone	Sault Ste. Marie	No. 536—Algonquin	Copper Cliff
No. 427—Nickel	Sudbury	No. 588—National	Capreol
No. 442—Dymet	Thessalon	No. 622—Lorne	Chapleau
No. 455—Doric	Little Current	No. 625—Hatherly	Sault Ste. Marie
No. 469—Algoma	Sault Ste. Marie	No. 658—Sudbury	Sudbury
No. 472—Gore Bay	Gore Bay	No. 680—Woodland	Wawa
No. 487—Penewobikong	Blind River	No. 691—Friendship	Copper Cliff
No. 527—Espanola	Espanola	No. 698—Elliot Lake	Elliot Lake
		No. 699—Bethel	Sudbury

**NORTH HURON DISTRICT—(12 Lodges)**  
**D.D.G.M.—R.W. Bro. K. H. Saxton, Wingham**

No. 93—Northern Light	Kincardine	No. 286—Wingham	Wingham
No. 162—Forest	Wroxeter	No. 303—Blyth	Blyth
No. 184—Old Light	Lucknow	No. 314—Blair	Palmerston
No. 225—Bernard	Listowel	No. 331—Fordwich	Fordwich
No. 276—Teeswater	Teeswater	No. 341—Bruce	Tiverton
No. 284—St. John's	Brussels	No. 568—Hullett	Londesboro

**ONTARIO DISTRICT—(14 Lodges)**  
**D.D.G.M.—R.W. Bro. E. F. R. Osborne, Newcastle**

No. 17—St. John's	Cobourg	No. 114—Hope	Port Hope
No. 26—Ontario	Port Hope	No. 129—Lebanon	Oshawa
No. 30—Composite	Whitby	No. 270—Cedar	Oshawa
No. 31—Jerusalem	Bowmanville	No. 325—Orono	Orono
No. 39—Mount Zion	Brooklin	No. 428—Fidelity	Port Perry
No. 66—Durham	Newcastle	No. 649—Temple	Oshawa
No. 91—Colborne	Colborne	No. 695—Parkwood	Oshawa

**OTTAWA DISTRICT—(29 Lodges)**  
**D.D.G.M.—R.W. Bro. P. W. Collins, Cobden**

No. 52—Dalhousie	Ottawa	No. 231—Lodge of Fidelity	Ottawa
No. 58—Doric	Ottawa	No. 264—Chaudiere	Ottawa
No. 63—St. John's	Carleton Place	No. 371—Prince of Wales	Ottawa
No. 122—Renfrew	Renfrew	No. 433—Bonnechere	Eganville
No. 128—Pembroke	Pembroke	No. 459—Cobden	Cobden
No. 147—Mississippi	Almonte	No. 465—Carleton	Carp
No. 148—Civil Service	Ottawa	No. 476—Corinthian	North Gower
No. 159—Goodwood	Richmond	No. 479—Russell	Russell
No. 177—The Builders	Ottawa	No. 516—Enterprise	Beachburg
No. 196—Madawaska	Arnprior	No. 517—Hazeldean	Hazeldean

No. 526—Ionic	Ottawa	No. 590—Defenders	Ottawa
No. 558—Sidney Albert Luke	Ottawa	No. 595—Rideau	Ottawa
No. 560—St. Andrew's	Ottawa	No. 665—Temple	Ottawa
No. 561—Acacia	Ottawa	No. 686—Atomic	Deep River
No. 564—Ashiar	Ottawa		

## PETERBOROUGH DISTRICT—(12 Lodges)

D.D.G.M.—R.W. Bro. C. S. Browne, Peterborough

No. 101—Corinthian	Peterborough	No. 374—Keene	Keene
No. 126—Golden Rule	Campbellford	No. 435—Havelock	Havelock
No. 145—J. B. Hall	Millbrook	No. 523—Royal Arthur	Peterborough
No. 155—Peterborough	Peterborough	No. 633—Hastings	Hastings
No. 161—Percy	Warkworth	No. 675—William James	Dunlop
No. 223—Norwood	Norwood		Peterborough
No. 313—Clementi	Lakefield		

## PRINCE EDWARD DISTRICT—(17 Lodges)

D.D.G.M.—R.W. Bro. L. D. McMaster, Trenton

No. 11—Moira	Belleville	No. 164—Star in the East	Wellington
No. 18—Prince Edward	Picton	No. 215—Lake	Ameliasburg
No. 29—United	Brighton	No. 222—Marmora	Marmora
No. 38—Trent	Trenton	No. 239—Tweed	Tweed
No. 48—Madoc	Madoc	No. 283—Eureka	Belleville
No. 50—Consecon	Consecon	No. 401—Craig	Deseronto
No. 69—Stirling	Stirling	No. 482—Bancroft	Bancroft
No. 123—Belleville	Belleville	No. 666—Temple	Belleville
No. 127—Franck	Frankford		

## SARNIA DISTRICT—(21 Lodges)

D.D.G.M.—R.W. Bro. Harry Russell, Sarnia

No. 56—Victoria	Sarnia	No. 307—Arkona	Arkona
No. 81—St. John's Mount	Brydges	No. 323—Alvinston	Alvinston
No. 83—Beaver	Stratford	No. 328—Ionic	Napier
No. 116—Cassia	Thedford	No. 392—Huron	Camlachie
No. 153—Burns'	Wyoming	No. 397—Leopold	Brigden
No. 158—Alexandra	On Springs	No. 419—Liberty	Sarnia
No. 194—Petrolia	Petrolia	No. 420—St. Clair	Sombra
No. 238—Havelock	Watford	No. 437—Tuscan	Sarnia
No. 260—Washington	Petrolia	No. 503—Inwood	Inwood
No. 263—Forest	Forest	No. 601—St. Paul	Sarnia
No. 294—Moore	Courtright		

## SOUTH HURON DISTRICT—(17 Lodges)

D.D.G.M.—R.W. Bro. W. G. Treble, Goderich

No. 33—Maitland	Goderich	No. 233—Doric	Parkhill
No. 73—St. James	St. Marys	No. 309—Morning Star	Carlow
No. 84—Clinton	Clinton	No. 332—Stratford	Stratford
No. 133—Lebanon Forest	Exeter	No. 456—Elma	Monkton
No. 141—Tudor	Mitchell	No. 478—Milverton	Milverton
No. 144—Tecumseh	Stratford	No. 483—Granton	Granton
No. 154—Irving	Lucan	No. 574—Craig	Ailsa Craig
No. 170—Britannia	Salford	No. 609—Tavistock	Tavistock
No. 224—Huron	Hensall		

## ST. LAWRENCE DISTRICT—(19 Lodges)

D.D.G.M.—R.W. Bro. Harry Truman, Lansdowne

No. 5—Sussex	Brockville	No. 368—Salem	Brockville
No. 14—True Britons'	Perth	No. 370—Harmony	Delta
No. 24—St. Francis	Smiths Falls	No. 387—Lansdowne	Lansdowne
No. 28—Mount Zion	Kemptville	No. 389—Crystal Fountain	N. Augusta
No. 55—Merrickville	Merrickville	No. 416—Lyn	Lyn
No. 74—St. James	South Augusta	No. 489—Osiris	Smiths Falls
No. 85—Rising Sun	Athens	No. 504—Otter	Lombardy
No. 110—Central	Prescott	No. 556—Nation	Spencerville
No. 209—Evergreen	Lanark	No. 650—Fidelity	Toledo
No. 242—Macoy	Mallorytown		

**ST. THOMAS DISTRICT—(11 Lodges)**  
**D.D.G.M.—R.W. Bro. N. E. Rolling, St. Thomas**

No. 44—St. Thomas	St. Thomas	No. 302—St. David's	St. Thomas
No. 94—St. Mark's	Port Stanley	No. 364—Dufferin	Melbourne
No. 120—Warren	Fingal	No. 386—McColl	West Lorne
No. 140—Malahide	Aylmer	No. 411—Rodney	Rodney
No. 171—Prince of Wales	Iona Sta.	No. 546—Talbot	St. Thomas
No. 232—Cameron	Dutton		

**TEMISKAMING DISTRICT—(8 Lodges)**  
**D.D.G.M.—R.W. Bro. D. J. Paterson, Englehart**

No. 506—Porcupine	S. Porcupine	No. 540—Abitibi	Iroquois Falls
No. 528—Golden Beaver	Timmins	No. 623—Doric	Kirkland Lake
No. 530—Cochrane	Cochrane	No. 648—Spruce Falls	Kapuskasing
No. 534—Englehart	Englehart	No. 657—Corinthian	Kirkland Lake

**TORONTO DISTRICT A-1—(19 Lodges)**  
**D.D.G.M.—R.W. Bro. E. A. Rowe, Port Credit**

No. 229—Ionic	Brampton	No. 619—Runnymede	Toronto
No. 356—River Park	Streetsville	No. 630—Prince of Wales	Toronto
No. 426—Stanley	Toronto	No. 632—Long Branch	Mimico
No. 474—Victoria	Toronto	No. 640—Anthony Sayer	Mimico
No. 501—Connaught	Mimico	No. 645—Lake Shore	Mimico
No. 524—Mississauga	Port Credit	No. 652—Memorial	Toronto
No. 525—Temple	Toronto	No. 674—South Gate	Port Credit
No. 548—General Mercer	Toronto	No. 685—Jos. A. Hearn Pt.	Credit
No. 565—Kilwinning	Toronto	No. 689—Flower City	Brampton
No. 566—King Hiram	Toronto		

**TORONTO DISTRICT A-2—(17 Lodges)**  
**D.D.G.M.—R.W. Bro. John Urquhart, Toronto**

No. 305—Humber	Weston	No. 587—Patricia	Toronto
No. 346—Occident	Toronto	No. 599—Mt. Dennis	Weston
No. 369—Mimico	Lambton Mills	No. 600—Maple Leaf	Toronto
No. 510—Parkdale	Toronto	No. 605—Melita	Toronto
No. 522—Mt. Sinai	Toronto	No. 655—Kingsway	Lambton Mills
No. 531—High Park	Toronto	No. 664—Sunnylea	Lambton Mills
No. 575—Fidelity	Toronto	No. 677—Coronation	Weston
No. 582—Sunnyside	Toronto	No. 682—Astra	Weston
No. 583—Transportation	Toronto		

**TORONTO DISTRICT B-1—(15 Lodges)**  
**D.D.G.M.—R.W. Bro. T. J. Arthur, Toronto**

No. 16—St. Andrew's	Toronto	No. 343—Georgina	Toronto
No. 25—Ionic	Toronto	No. 424—Doric	Pickering
No. 75—St. John's	Toronto	No. 473—Beaches	Toronto
No. 136—Richardson	Stouffville	No. 567—St. Aidan's	Toronto
No. 218—Stevenson	Toronto	No. 612—Birch Cliff	Birch Cliff
No. 220—Zeredatha	Uxbridge	No. 620—Bay of Quinte	Toronto
No. 316—Doric	Toronto	No. 637—Caledonia	Toronto
No. 339—Orient	Toronto		

**TORONTO DISTRICT B-2—(17 Lodges)**  
**D.D.G.M.—R.W. Bro. W. H. Saunders, Toronto**

No. 87—Markham Union	Markham	No. 552—Queen City	Toronto
No. 269—Brougham Union	Claremont	No. 576—Mimosa	Toronto
No. 430—Acacia	Toronto	No. 647—Todmorden	Todmorden
No. 464—King Edward	Sunderland	No. 651—Denton	Toronto
No. 494—Riverdale	Toronto	No. 653—Scarboro	Agincourt
No. 520—Coronati	Toronto	No. 670—West Hill	Agincourt
No. 532—Canada	Toronto	No. 683—Wexford	Agincourt
No. 543—Imperial	Toronto	No. 693—East Gate	Agincourt
No. 545—John Ross Robertson	Toronto		

**TORONTO DISTRICT C—(29 Lodges)**  
**D.D.G.M.—R.W. Bro. H. T. Blumsom, Toronto**

No. 22—King Solomon's	Toronto	No. 512—Malone	Sutton
No. 23—Richmond	Richmond Hill	No. 542—Metropolitan	Toronto
No. 65—Rehoboam	Toronto	No. 553—Oakwood	Toronto
No. 79—Simcoe	Bradford	No. 577—St. Clair	Toronto
No. 86—Wilson	Toronto	No. 581—Harcourt	Toronto
No. 97—Sharon	Queensville	No. 591—North Gate	Toronto
No. 99—Tuscan	Newmarket	No. 592—Fairbank	Toronto
No. 129—Rising Sun	Aurora	No. 606—Unity	Toronto
No. 156—York	Toronto	No. 607—Golden Fleece	Toronto
No. 247—Ashlar	Toronto	No. 629—Grenville	Toronto
No. 265—Patterson	Thornhill	No. 634—Delta	Toronto
No. 326—Zetland	Toronto	No. 638—Bedford	Toronto
No. 438—Harmony	Toronto	No. 646—Rowland	Mt. Albert
No. 481—Corinthian	Toronto	No. 676—Kroy	Thornhill
		No. 696—Harry L. Martyn	Toronto

**TORONTO DISTRICT D—(25 Lodges)**  
**D.D.G.M.—R.W. Bro. A. E. Calverley, Islington**

No. 54—Vaughan	Maple	No. 541—Tuscan	Toronto
No. 98—True Blue	Bolton	No. 547—The Victory	Toronto
No. 118—Union	Schomberg	No. 559—Palestine	Toronto
No. 292—Robertson	King	No. 570—Dufferin	Toronto
No. 311—Blackwood	Woodbridge	No. 571—Antiquity	Toronto
No. 367—St. George	Toronto	No. 572—Mizpah	Toronto
No. 384—Alpha	Toronto	No. 586—Remembrance	Toronto
No. 410—Zeta	Toronto	No. 589—Grey	Toronto
No. 463—Peel	Caledon East	No. 611—Huron-Bruce	Toronto
No. 496—University	Toronto	No. 635—Wellington	Toronto
No. 514—St. Alban's	Toronto	No. 643—Cathedral	Toronto
No. 533—Shamrock	Toronto	No. 644—Simcoe	Toronto
No. 537—Ulster	Toronto		

**VICTORIA DISTRICT—(13 Lodges)**  
**D.D.G.M.—R.W. Bro. Cephas Doherty, Beaverton**

No. 77—Faithful Brethren	Lindsay	No. 440—Arcadia	Minden
No. 268—Verulam	Bobcaygeon	No. 451—Somerville	Kinmount
No. 354—Brock	Cannington	No. 463—North Entrance	Haliburton
No. 375—Lorne	Omeme	No. 477—Harding	Woodville
No. 398—Victoria	Kirkfield	No. 498—King George V	Coboconk
No. 406—The Spry	Fenelon Falls	No. 608—Gothic	Lindsay
No. 408—Murray	Beaverton		

**WELLINGTON DISTRICT—(22 Lodges)**  
**D.D.G.M.—R.W. Bro. B. J. Omand, New Hamburg**

No. 72—Alma	Galt	No. 279—New Hope	Hespeler
No. 151—Grand River	Kitchener	No. 297—Preston	Preston
No. 172—Ayr	Ayr	No. 318—Wilmot	Baden
No. 180—Speed	Guelph	No. 321—Walker	Acton
No. 203—Irvine	Elora	No. 347—Mercre	Fergus
No. 205—New Dom'n.	New Hamburg	No. 361—Waverley	Guelph
No. 219—Credit	Georgetown	No. 509—Twin City	Kitchener
No. 257—Galt	Galt	No. 539—Waterloo	Waterloo
No. 258—Guelph	Guelph	No. 628—Glenrose	Elmira
No. 271—Wellington	Erin	No. 688—Wyndham	Guelph
No. 295—Conestogo	Drayton	No. 690—Temple	Kitchener

**WESTERN DISTRICT—(10 Lodges)**

**D.D.G.M.—R.W. Bro. C. C. Galloway, Keewatin**

No. 414—Pequonga	Kenora	No. 484—Golden Star	Dryden
No. 417—Keewatin	Keewatin	No. 518—Sioux Lookout	Sioux L'out
No. 445—Lake of the Woods	Kenora	No. 631—Manitou	Emo
No. 446—Granite	Fort Frances	No. 660—Chukuni	Red Lake
No. 461—Ionic	Rainy River	No. 668—Atikokan	Atikokan

## WILSON DISTRICT—(23 Lodges)

D.D.G.M.—R.W. Bro. B. M. McCall, Embro

No. 10—Norfolk	Simcoe	No. 217—Frederick	Delhi
No. 37—King Hiram	Ingersoll	No. 237—Vienna	Vienna
No. 43—King Solomon's	Woodstock	No. 250—Thistle	Embroy
No. 68—St. John's	Ingersoll	No. 259—Springfield	Springfield
No. 76—Oxford	Woodstock	No. 261—Oak Branch	Innerkip
No. 78—King Hiram	Tillsonburg	No. 359—Vittoria	Vittoria
No. 104—St. John's	Norwich	No. 569—Doric	Lakeside
No. 108—Blenheim	Princeton	No. 624—Dereham	Mt. Elgin
No. 119—Erie	Port Dover	No. 678—Mercer Wilson	Woodstock
No. 174—Walsingham	Port Rowan	No. 700—Corinthian	Kintore
No. 178—Plattsburgh	Plattsburgh	UD	Ashlar
No. 181—Oriental	Port Burwell		Tillsonburg

## WINDSOR DISTRICT—(19 Lodges)

D.D.G.M.—R.W. Bro. G. E. Turner, Windsor

No. 34—Thistle	Amherstburg	No. 500—Rose	Windsor
No. 41—St. George's	Kingsville	No. 521—Ontario	Windsor
No. 47—Great Western	Windsor	No. 554—Border Cities	Windsor
No. 290—Leamington	Leamington	No. 579—Harmony	Windsor
No. 395—Parvaim	Comber	No. 598—Dominion	Windsor
No. 402—Central	Essex	No. 604—Palace	Windsor
No. 403—Windsor	Windsor	No. 627—Pelce	Scudder
No. 413—Naphtali	Tilbury	No. 641—Garden	Windsor
No. 448—Xenophon	Wheatley	No. 642—St. Andrew's	Windsor
No. 488—King Edward	Harrow		

## RECAPITULATION

Algoma District	11	Lodges
Brant District	14	Lodges
Bruce District	12	Lodges
Chatham District	15	Lodges
Eastern District	19	Lodges
Frontenac District	18	Lodges
Georgian District	20	Lodges
Grey District	12	Lodges
Hamilton A District	19	Lodges
Hamilton B District	20	Lodges
London District	24	Lodges
Muskoka — Parry Sound District	8	Lodges
Niagara A District	14	Lodges
Niagara B District	14	Lodges
Nipissing East District	8	Lodges
Nipissing West District	17	Lodges
North Huron District	12	Lodges
Ontario District	14	Lodges
Ottawa District	29	Lodges
Peterborough District	12	Lodges
Prince Edward District	17	Lodges
Sarnia District	21	Lodges
South Huron District	17	Lodges
St. Lawrence District	19	Lodges
St. Thomas District	11	Lodges
Temiskaming District	8	Lodges
Toronto A-1 District	19	Lodges
Toronto A-2 District	17	Lodges
Toronto B-1 District	15	Lodges
Toronto B-2 District	17	Lodges
Toronto C District	29	Lodges
Toronto D District	25	Lodges
Victoria District	13	Lodges
Wellington District	22	Lodges
Western District	10	Lodges
Wilson District	23	Lodges
Windsor District	19	Lodges

## LODGES, ALPHABETICALLY

No.	and Name	Location	No.	and Name	Location
540	Abitibi	Iroquois Falls	491	Cardinal	Cardinal
61	Acacia	Hamilton	465	Carleton	Carp
430	Acacia	Toronto	116	Cassia	Thedford
561	Acacia	Ottawa	92	Catarqui	Kingston
580	Acacia	London	643	Cathedral	Toronto
614	Adanac	Merriton	110	Central	Prescott
573	Adoniram	Niagara Falls	402	Central	Essex
109	Albion	Harrowsmith	270	Cedar	Oshawa
235	Aldworth	Paisley	396	Cedar	Wiarnton
158	Alexandra	Oil Springs	684	Centennial	London
439	Alexandria	Alexandria	679	Centennial	Stamford Centre
469	Algoma	Sault Ste. Marie	457	Century	Merlin
134	Algonquin	Emsdale	264	Chaudiere	Ottawa
536	Algonquin	Copper Cliff	320	Chesterville	Chesterville
72	Alma	Galt	660	Chukuni	Red Lake
384	Alpha	Toronto	148	Civil Service	Ottawa
923	Alvinston	Alvinston	681	Claude M. Kent	Oakville
32	Amity	Dunnville	313	Clementi	Lakefield
654	Ancient Landmarks	Hamilton	315	Clifford	Clifford
640	Anthony Sayer	Mimico	254	Clifton	Niagara Falls
571	Antiquity	Toronto	84	Clinton	Clinton
140	Arcadia	Minden	459	Cobden	Cobden
307	Arkona	Arkona	530	Cochrane	Cochrane
247	Ashlar	Toronto	91	Colborne	Colborne
564	Ashlar	Ottawa	30	Composite	Whitby
510	Ashlar	Byron	667	Composite	Hamilton
UD	Ashlar	Tillsonburg	295	Conestogo	Drayton
682	Astra	Weston	501	Connaught	Mimico
668	Atikokan	Atikokan	511	Connaught	Fort William
686	Atomic	Deep River	50	Consecon	Consecon
452	Avonmore	Avonmore	373	Cope-Stone	Welland
172	Ayr	Ayr	96	Corinthian	Barrie
694	Baldoon	Wallaceburg	101	Corinthian	Peterboro
482	Bancroft	Bancroft	330	Corinthian	London
620	Bay of Quinte	Toronto	476	Corinthian	North Gower
639	Beach	Hamilton Beach	481	Corinthian	Toronto
83	Beaver	Strathtroy	513	Corinthian	Hamilton
234	Beaver	Thornbury	657	Corinthian	Kirkland Lake
638	Bedford	Toronto	669	Corinthian	Cornwall
123	Belleville	Belleville	700	Corinthian	Kintore
190	Belmont	Belmont	125	Cornwall	Cornwall
225	Bernard	Listowel	454	Corona	Burks Falls
699	Bethel	Sudbury	520	Coronati	Toronto
612	Birch Cliff	Birch Cliff	466	Coronation	Elmvale
311	Blackwood	Woodbridge	502	Coronation	Smithville
314	Blair	Palmerston	677	Coronation	Weston
108	Blenheim	Princeton	401	Craig	Deseronto
803	Blyth	Blyth	574	Craig	Ailsa Craig
433	Bonnechere	Eganville	219	Credit	Georgetown
554	Border Cities	Windsor	389	Crystal Fountain	N. Augusta
45	Brant	Brantford	52	Dalhousie	Ottawa
663	Brant	Burlington	590	Defenders	Ottawa
170	Britannia	Seaforth	358	Delaware Valley	Delaware
354	Brock	Cannington	634	Delta	Toronto
269	Brougham Union	Claremont	651	Dentonia	Toronto
341	Bruce	Tiverton	624	Dereham	Mount Elgin
550	Buchanan	Hamilton	598	Dominion	Windsor
106	Burford	Burford	615	Dominion	Ridgeway
165	Burlington	Burlington	58	Doric	Ottawa
153	Burns'	Wyoming	121	Doric	Brantford
436	Burns	Hepworth	238	Doric	Parkhill
637	Caledonia	Toronto	289	Doric	Lobo
249	Caledonian	Midland	316	Doric	Toronto
232	Cameron	Dutton	382	Doric	Hamilton
603	Campbell	Campbellville	424	Doric	Pickering
532	Canada	Toronto	455	Doric	Little Current
			569	Doric	Lakeside

No.	and Name	Location	No.	and Name	Location
623	Doric	Kirkland Lake	327	Hammond	Wardsville
291	Dufferin	W. Flamboro	432	Hanover	Hanover
338	Dufferin	Wellandport	581	Harcourt	Toronto
364	Dufferin	Melbourne	477	Harding	Woodville
570	Dufferin	Toronto	57	Harmony	Binbrook
449	Dundalk	Dundalk	370	Harmony	Delta
475	Dundurn	Hamilton	438	Harmony	Toronto
66	Durham	Newcastle	579	Harmony	Windsor
306	Durham	Durham	216	Harris	Orangeville
442	Dymont	Thessalon	262	Harriston	Harriston
538	Earl Kitchener	Port McNicoll	696	Harry L. Martyn	Toronto
693	East Gate	Agincourt	633	Hastings	Hastings
507	Elk Lake	Elk Lake	625	Hatherly	Sault Ste. Marie
698	Elliot Lake	Elliot Lake	238	Havelock	Watford
456	Elma	Monkton	435	Havelock	Havelock
534	Englehart	Englehart	450	Hawkesbury	Hawkesbury
185	Enniskillen	York	517	Hazeldean	Hazeldean
516	Enterprise	Beachburg	333	Henderson	Winchester
659	Equity	Orillia	388	Henderson	Ilderton
149	Erie	Port Dover	336	Highgate	Highgate
527	Espanola	Espanola	531	High Park	Toronto
283	Eureka	Beileville	504	Hillcrest	Hamilton
209	Evergreen	Lanark	319	Hiram	Hagersville
142	Excelsior	Morrisburg	490	Hiram	Markdale
592	Fairbank	Toronto	114	Hope	Port Hope
77	Faithful Brethren	Lindsay	636	Horne Payne	Horne Payne
256	Farran-Ault	Ingleside	391	Howard	Ridgeway
428	Fidelity	Port Perry	602	Hugh Murray	Hamilton
575	Fidelity	Toronto	568	Hullett	Londesboro
650	Fidelity	Toledo	305	Humber	Weston
557	Finch	Finch	224	Huron	Hensall
390	Florence	Florence	392	Huron	Camlachie
689	Flower City	Brampton	611	Huron-Bruce	Toronto
331	Fordwich	Fordwich	543	Imperial	Toronto
162	Forest	Wroxeter	503	Inwood	Inwood
263	Forest	Forest	25	Ionic	Toronto
393	Forest	Chesley	229	Ionic	Brampton
613	Fort Erie	Fort Erie	328	Ionic	Napier
415	Fort William	Fort William	461	Ionic	Rainy River
127	Franck	Frankford	526	Ionic	Ottawa
217	Frederick	Delhi	549	Ionic	Hamilton
143	Friendly Brothers'	Iroquois	203	Irvine	Elora
691	Friendship	Copper Cliff	154	Irving	Lucan
621	Frontenac	Sharbot Lake	115	Ivy	Beamsville
257	Galt	Galt	145	J. B. Hall	Millbrook
641	Garden	Windsor	31	Jerusalem	Bowmanville
548	General Mercer	Toronto	545	John Ross Robertson	Toronto
348	Georgian	Penetanguishene	685	Joseph A. Hearn	Pt. Credit
343	Georgina	Toronto	584	Kaministiquia	Fort William
628	Glenrose	Elmira	492	Karnak	Coldwater
528	Golden Beaver	Timmins	374	Keene	Keene
607	Golden Fleece	Toronto	417	Keeewatin	Keeewatin
126	Golden Rule	Campbellford	673	Kempfenfeldt	Barrie
409	Golden Rule	Gravenhurst	656	Kenogamisis	Geraldton
484	Golden Star	Dryden	274	Kent	Blenheim
159	Goodwood	Richmond	230	Kerr	Barrie
472	Gore Bay	Gore Bay	412	Keystone	Sault Ste. Marie
608	Gothic	Lindsay	64	Kilwinning	London
151	Grand River	Kitchener	565	Kilwinning	Toronto
352	Granite	Parry Sound	464	King Edward	Sunderland
446	Granite	Fort Frances	488	King Edward	Harrow
697	Grantham	Port Dalhousie	471	King Edward VII	Chippawa
483	Granton	Granton	498	King George V	Cobourg
47	Great Western	Windsor	37	King Hiram	Ingersoll
629	Grenville	Toronto	78	King Hiram	Tillsonburg
589	Grey	Toronto	566	King Hiram	Toronto
258	Guelph	Guelph	22	King Solomon's	Toronto
485	Haileybury	Haileybury	43	King Solomon's	Woodstock
562	Hamilton	Hamilton	329	King Solomons	Jarvis

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378	King Solomon's	London	28	Mt. Zion	Kemptville
394	King Solomon	Thamesford	39	Mt. Zion	Brooklin
655	Kingsway	Lambton Mills	431	Moravian	Cargill
676	Kroy	Thornhill	309	Morning Star	Carlow
215	Lake	Ameliasburg	221	Mountain	Thorold
445	Lake of the Woods	Kenora	408	Murray	Beaverton
645	Lake Shore	Mimico	360	Muskoka	Bracebridge
207	Lancaster	Lancaster	529	Myra	Komoka
387	Lansdowne	Lansdowne	337	Myrtle	Port Robinson
290	Leamington	Leamington	413	Naphthali	Tilbury
139	Lebanon	Oshawa	556	Nation	Spencerville
133	Lebanon Forest	Exeter	588	National	Capreol
201	Leeds	Gananoque	205	New Dominion	New Hamburg
397	Leopold	Brigden	279	New Hope	Hespeler
419	Liberty	Tarnia	2	Niagara	Niagara-on-the-Lake
544	Lincoln	Abingdon	427	Nickel	Sudbury
231	Lodge of Fidelity	Ottawa	345	Nilestown	Nilestown
632	Long Branch	Mimico	420	Nipissing	North Bay
282	Lorne	Glencoe	444	Nitetus	Creemore
375	Lorne	Omeme	10	Norfolk	Simcoe
377	Lorne	Shelburne	617	North Bay	North Bay
404	Lorne	Tamworth	463	North Entrance	Haliburton
622	Lorne	Chapleau	591	North Gate	Toronto
416	Lyn	Lyn	322	North Star	Owen Sound
505	Lynden	Lynden	93	Northern Light	Kincardine
242	Macoy	Mallortown	266	Northern Light	Stayner
169	Macnab	Port Colborne	223	Norwood	Norwood
196	Madawaska	Arnprior	261	Oak Branch	Innerkip
48	Madoc	Madoc	400	Oakville	Oakville
33	Maitland	Goderich	553	Oakwood	Toronto
140	Malahide	Aylmer	346	Occident	Toronto
512	Malone	Sutton W.	184	Old Light	Lucknow
90	Manito	Collingwood	519	Onondaga	Onondaga
236	Manitoba	Cookstown	26	Ontario	Port Hope
631	Manitou	Emo	521	Ontario	Windsor
103	Maple Leaf	St. Catharines	339	Orient	Toronto
119	Maple Leaf	Bath	181	Oriental	Port Burwell
362	Maple Leaf	Tara	192	Orillia	Orillia
600	Maple Leaf	Toronto	325	Orono	Orono
87	Markham Union	Markham	489	Osiris	Smiths Falls
222	Marmora	Marmora	504	Otter	Lombardy
596	Martintown	Martintown	76	Oxford	Woodstock
405	Mattawa	Mattawa	508	Ozias	Brantford
418	Maxville	Maxville	604	Palace	Windsor
386	McColl	West Lorne	559	Palestine	Toronto
605	Melita	Toronto	372	Palmer	Fort Erie
652	Memorial	Toronto	510	Parkdale	Toronto
347	Mercer	Fergus	695	Parkwood	Oshawa
678	Mercer Wilson	Woodstock	267	Parthenon	Chatham
687	Meridian	Dundas	395	Parvaim	Comber
55	Merrickville	Merrickville	587	Patricia	Toronto
344	Merrill	Dorchester	265	Patterson	Thornhill
168	Merritt	Welland	468	Peel	Caledon East
542	Metropolitan	Toronto	627	Pelee	Scudder
379	Middlesex	Bryanston	128	Pembroke	Pembroke
478	Milverton	Milverton	487	Penewohikong	Blind River
369	Mimico	Lambton Mills	414	Pequonga	Kenora
576	Mimosa	Toronto	161	Percy	Warkworth
253	Minden	Kingston	616	Perfection	St. Catharines
304	Minerva	Stroud	155	Peterborough	Peterborough
524	Mississauga	Port Credit	194	Petrolia	Petrolia
147	Mississippi	Almonte	535	Phoenix	Fonthill
572	Mizpah	Toronto	186	Plantagenet	Riceville
399	Moffat	Harrietsville	178	Plattsburg	Plattsburg
11	Moira	Belleville	312	Pnyx	Wallaceburg
294	Moore	Courtright	506	Porcupine	S. Porcupine
599	Mt. Dennis	Weston	499	Port Arthur	Port Arthur
300	Mt. Olivet	Thorndale	429	Port Elgin	Port Elgin
522	Mt. Sinai	Toronto	443	Powassan	Powassan

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228	Prince Arthur	Odessa	94	St. Mark's	Port Stanley
333	Prince Arthur	Flesherton	105	St. Mark's	Niagara Falls
334	Prince Arthur	Arthur	107	St. Paul's	Lambeth
18	Prince Edward	Picton	601	St. Paul	Sarnia
146	Prince of Wales	Newburgh	44	St. Thomas	St. Thomas
171	Prince of Wales	Iona Sta.	368	Salem	Brockville
371	Prince of Wales	Ottawa	197	Saugeen	Walkerton
630	Prince of Wales	Toronto	558	S. A. Luke	Ottawa
137	Pythagoras	Meaford	653	Scarboro	Aigincourt
552	Queen City	Toronto	193	Scotland	Scotland
578	Queen's	Kingston	421	Scott	Grand Valley
515	Reba	Brantford	285	Seven Star	Alliston
65	Rehoboam	Toronto	272	Seymour	Ancaster
586	Remembrance	Toronto	277	Seymour	Port Dalhousie
122	Renfrew	Renfrew	533	Shamrock	Toronto
136	Richardson	Stouffville	97	Sharon	Queensville
23	Richmond	Richmond Hill	287	Shuniah	Port Arthur
460	Rideau	Seeley's Bay	558	Sidney	Albert Luke
595	Rideau	Ottawa	486	Silver	Cobalt
85	Rising Sun	Athens	79	Simcoe	Bradford
129	Rising Sun	Aurora	644	Simcoe	Toronto
494	Riverdale	Toronto	157	Simpson	Newboro
356	River Park	Streetsville	518	Sioux Lookout	Sioux Lookout
292	Robertson	King	451	Somerville	Kinmount
411	Rodney	Rodney	674	South Gate	Port Credit
500	Rose	Windsor	180	Speed	Guelph
646	Rowland	Mt. Albert	259	Springfield	Springfield
453	Royal	Fort William	385	Spry	Beeton
523	Royal Arthur	Peterborough	648	Spruce Falls	Kapusasing
585	Royal Edward	Kingston	626	Stamford	Stamford Centre
619	Runnymede	Toronto	426	Stanley	Toronto
479	Russell	Russell	164	Star in the East	Wellington
567	St. Aidan's	Toronto	422	Star of the East	Bothwell
200	St. Alban's	Mt. Forest	218	Stevenson	Toronto
514	St. Alban's	Toronto	69	Stirling	Stirling
16	St. Andrew's	Toronto	332	Stratford	Stratford
62	St. Andrew's	Caledonia	427	Strict Observance	Hamilton
497	St. Andrew's	Arden	423	Strong	Sundridge
560	St. Andrew's	Ottawa	447	Sturgeon Falls	Sturgeon Falls
593	St. Andrew's	Hamilton	658	Sudbury	Sudbury
642	St. Andrew's	Windsor	664	Sunnylea	Lambton Mills
661	St. Andrew's	St. Catharines	582	Sunnyside	Toronto
135	St. Clair	Milton	672	Superior	Red Rock
425	St. Clair	Sombra	5	Sussex	Brockville
577	St. Clair	Toronto	255	Sydenham	Dresden
302	St. David's	St. Thomas	546	Talbot	St. Thomas
24	St. Francis	Smiths Falls	609	Tavistock	Tavistock
15	St. George's	St. Catharines	144	Tecumseh	Stratford
41	St. George's	Kingsville	245	Tecumseh	Thamesville
42	St. George's	London	276	Teeswater	Teeswater
88	St. George's	Owen Sound	462	Temiskaming	New Liskeard
243	St. George	St. George	296	Temple	St. Catharines
367	St. George	Toronto	324	Temple	Hamilton
73	St. James	St. Marys	525	Temple	Toronto
74	St. James	So. Augusta	597	Temple	London
17	St. John's	Cobourg	649	Temple	Oshawa
20	St. John's	London	665	Temple	Ottawa
21a	St. John's	Vankleek Hill	666	Temple	Belleville
35	St. John's	Cayuga	690	Temple	Kitchener
40	St. John's	Hamilton	3	The Anc't. St. John's	Kingston
63	St. John's	Carleton Place	6	The Barton	Hamilton
68	St. John's	Ingersoll	473	The Beaches	Toronto
75	St. John's	Toronto	177	The Builders	Ottawa
81	St. John's	Mt. Brydges	495	The Electric	Hamilton
82	St. John's	Paris	406	The Spry	Fenelon Falls
104	St. John's	Norwich	195	The Tuscan	London
209a	St. John's	London	547	The Victory	Toronto
284	St. John's	Brussels	34	Thistle	Amherstburg
131	St. Lawrence	Southampton	250	Thistle	Embro

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692	Thomas Hamilton Simpson	Stoney Creek	237	Vienna	Vienna
618	Thunder Bay	Port Arthur	359	Vittoria	Vittoria
647	Todmorden	Todmorden	458	Wales	Longue Sault
467	Tottenham	Tottenham	321	Walker	Acton
583	Transportation	Toronto	174	Walsingham	Port Rowan
38	Trent	Trenton	555	Wardrope	Hamilton
98	True Blue	Bolton	120	Warren	Fingal
14	True Britons'	Perth	260	Washington	Petrolia
141	Tudor	Mitchell	357	Waterdown	Millgrove
99	Tuscan	Newmarket	539	Waterloo	Waterloo
437	Tuscan	Sarnia	361	Waverley	Guelph
551	Tuscan	Hamilton	46	Wellington	Chatham
541	Tuscan	Toronto	271	Wellington	Erin
239	Tweed	Tweed	635	Wellington	Toronto
509	Twin City	Kitchener	166	Wentworth	Stoney Creek
537	Ulster	Toronto	670	West Hill	Agincourt
7	Union	Grimsby	671	Westmount	Hamilton
9	Union	Napanee	441	Westport	Westport
118	Union	Schomberg	683	Wexford	Agincourt
380	Union	London	675	William James	
29	United	Brighton	480	Dunlop	Peterborough
876	Unity	Huntsville	318	Williamsburg	Williamsburg
606	Unity	Toronto	86	Wilmot	Baden
496	University	Toronto	113	Wilson	Toronto
100	Valley	Dundas	403	Windsor	Windsor
54	Vaughan	Maple	286	Wingham	Wingham
268	Verulam	Bobcaygeon	680	Woodland	Wawa
56	Victoria	Sarnia	688	Wyndham	Guelph
299	Victoria	Centreville	448	Xenophon	Wheatley
398	Victoria	Kirkfield	156	York	Toronto
470	Victoria	Victoria Harbour	220	Zeredatha	Uxbridge
474	Victoria	Toronto	410	Zeta	Toronto
563	Victory	Chatham	326	Zetland	Toronto

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Abingdon	Lincoln 544	Burlington	Brant 668
Acton	Walker 321	Burlington	Burlington 165
Agincourt	East Gate 693	Byron	Ashlar 610
Agincourt	Scarboro 658	Caledon East	Peel 468
Agincourt	West Hill 670	Caledonia	St. Andrew's 62
Agincourt	Wexford 683	Campbellford	Golden Rule 126
Ailsa Craig	Craig 574	Campbellville	Campbell 603
Alexandria	Alexandria 439	Camlachie	Huron 392
Alliston	Seven Star 285	Cannington	Brock 354
Almonte	Mississippi 147	Capreol	National 588
Alvinston	Alvinston 323	Cardinal	Cardinal 491
Ameliasburg	Lake 215	Cargill	Moravian 431
Amherstburg	Thistle 34	Carlow	Morning Star 309
Ancaster	Seymour 272	Carp	Carleton 465
Arden	St. Andrew's 497	Carleton Place	St. John's 63
Arkona	Arkona 307	Cayuga	St. John's 35
Arnprior	Madawaska 196	Centreville	Victoria 299
Arthur	Prince Arthur 334	Chapleau	Lorne 622
Athens	Rising Sun 85	Chatham	Parthenon 267
Atikokan	Atikokan 668	Chatham	Victory 563
Aurora	Rising Sun 129	Chatham	Wellington 46
Avonmore	Avonmore 452	Chesley	Forest 393
Aylmer	Malahide 140	Chesterville	Chesterville 320
Ayr	Ayr 172	Chippawa	King Edward VII 471
Baden	Wilmot 318	Claremont	Brougham Union 269
Bancroft	Bancroft 482	Clifford	Clifford 315
Barrie	Corinthian 96	Clinton	Clinton 84
Barrie	Kempenfeldt 673	Cobalt	Silver 486
Barrie	Kerr 230	Cobden	Cobden 459
Bath	Maple Leaf 119	Cobourg	St. John's 17
Beachburg	Enterprise 516	Coboconk	King George V 498
Beamsville	Ivy 115	Cochrane	Cochrane 530
Beaverton	Murray 408	Colborne	Colborne 91
Beeton	Spry 385	Coldwater	Karnak 492
Belleville	Eureka 283	Collingwood	Manito 90
Belleville	Moira 11	Comber	Parvaim 395
Belleville	Belleville 123	Consecon	Consecon 50
Belleville	Temple 666	Cookstown	Manitoba 236
Belmont	Belmont 190	Copper Cliff	Algonquin 536
Binbrook	Harmony 57	Copper Cliff	Friendship 691
Birch Cliff	Birch Cliff 612	Cornwall	Corinthian 669
Blenheim	Kent 274	Cornwall	Cornwall 125
Blind River	Penewobikong 487	Courtright	Moore 294
Blyth	Blyth 303	Creemore	Nitetus 444
Bobcaygeon	Verulam 268	Deep River	Atomic 636
Bolton	True Blue 98	Delaware	Delaware Valley 358
Bothwell	Star of the East 422	Delhi	Frederick 217
Bowmanville	Jerusalem 31	Delta	Harmony 370
Bracebridge	Muskoka 360	Deseronto	Craig 401
Bradford	Simcoe 79	Dorchester	Merrill 344
Brampton	Flower City 689	Drayton	Conestogo 295
Brampton	Ionic 229	Dresden	Sydenham 255
Brantford	Brant 45	Dryden	Golden Star 484
Brantford	Doric 121	Dundalk	Dundalk 449
Brantford	Ozias 508	Dundas	Meridian 687
Brantford	Reba 515	Dundas	Valley 100
Brigden	Leopold 397	Dunnville	Amity 32
Brighton	United 29	Durham	Durham 306
Brockville	Salem 368	Dutton	Cameron 232
Brockville	Sussex 5	Eganville	Fonnechere 433
Brooklin	Mount Zion 39	Ell Lake	Ell Lake 507
Brussels	St. John's 284	Elliot Lake	Elliot Lake 698
Bryanston	Middlesex 379	Elmira	Glenrose 628
Burford	Burford 106	Elmvale	Coronation 466
Burks Falls	Corona 454	Elora	Irvine 203
		Embro	Thistle 250

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Emo	Manitou 631	Hastings	Hastings 633
Emsdale	Algonquin 434	Havelock	Havelock 435
Englehart	Englehart 534	Hawkesbury	Hawkesbury 450
Erin	Wellington 271	Hazeldean	Hazeldean 517
Espanola	Espanola 527	Hensall	Huron 224
Essex	Central 402	Hepworth	Burns 436
Exeter	Lebanon Forest 138	Hespeler	New Hope 279
Fenelon Falls	The Spry 406	Highgate	Highgate 336
Fergus	Mercer 347	Hornepayne	Hornepayne 636
Finch	Finch 557	Huntsville	Unity 376
Fingal	Warren 120	Ilderton	Henderson 388
Flesherton	Prince Arthur 333	Ingersoll	King Hiram 37
Florence	Florence 390	Ingersoll	St. John's 68
Fordwich	Fordwich 331	Ingleside	Farran-Ault 256
Forest	Forest 263	Innerkip	Oak Branch 261
Fonthill	Phoenix 535	Inwood	Inwood 503
Fort Erie	Fort Erie 613	Iona Station	Prince of Wales 171
Fort Erie	Palmer 372	Iroquois	Friendly Brothers 143
Fort Frances	Granite 446	Iroquois Falls	Abitibi 540
Fort William	Connaught 511	Jarvis	King Solomon 329
Fort William	Fort William 415	Kapuskasing	Spruce Falls 648
Fort William	Kaministiquia 584	Keene	Keene 374
Fort William	Royal 453	Keewatin	Keewatin 417
Frankford	Frank 127	Kemptville	Mount Zion 28
Galt	Alma 72	Kenora	Lake of the Woods 445
Galt	Galt 257	Kenora	Pequonga 414
Gananoque	Leeds 201	Kincardine	Northern Light 93
Georgetown	Credit 219	King	Robertson 292
Geraldton	Kenogamiis 656	Kingston	The Anct. St. John's 3
Glencoe	Lorne 282	Kingston	Cataraqui 92
Goderich	Maitland 33	Kingston	Minden 253
Gore Bay	Gore Bay 472	Kingston	Queen's 578
Grand Valley	Scott 421	Kingston	Royal Edward 585
Granton	Granton 483	Kingsville	St. George's 41
Gravenhurst	Golden Rule 409	Kinmount	Somerville 451
Grimsby	Union 7	Kintore	Corinthian 700
Guelph	Guelph 258	Kirkfield	Victoria 398
Guelph	Speed 180	Kirkland	Corinthian 657
Guelph	Waverley 361	Kirkland	Doric 623
Guelph	Wyndham 688	Kitchener	Grand River 151
Hagersville	Hiram 319	Kitchener	Temple 690
Haileybury	Haileybury 485	Kitchener	Twin City 509
Haliburton	North Entrance 463	Komoka	Myra 529
Hamilton	Acacia 61	Lakefield	Clementi 313
Hamilton	Ancient Landmarks 654	Lakeside	Doric 569
Hamilton	Buchanan 550	Lambeth	St. Paul's 107
Hamilton	Composite 667	Lambton	Mills Kingsway 655
Hamilton	Corinthian 513	Lambton	Mills Mimico 369
Hamilton	Doric 382	Lambton	Mills Sunnylea 664
Hamilton	Dundurn 475	Lanark	Evergreen 209
Hamilton	Hamilton 562	Lancaster	Lancaster 207
Hamilton	Hillcrest 594	Lansdowne	Lansdowne 387
Hamilton	Hugh Murray 602	Leamington	Leamington 290
Hamilton	Ionic 549	Lindsay	Faithful Brethren 77
Hamilton	St. Andrew's 593	Lindsay	Gothic 608
Hamilton	St. John's 40	Listowel	Bernard 225
Hamilton	Strict Observance 27	Little Current	Doric 455
Hamilton	Temple 324	Lobo	Doric 289
Hamilton	The Barton 6	Lombardy	Otter 504
Hamilton	The Electric 495	London	Hullett 568
Hamilton	Tuscan 551	London	Acacia 580
Hamilton	Wardrobe 555	London	Centennial 684
Hamilton	Westmount 671	London	Corinthian 330
Hamilton Beach	Beach 639	London	Kilwinning 64
Hanover	Hanover 432	London	King Solomon's 373
Harrietsville	Moffat 399	London	St. George's 42
Harrison	Harrison 262	London	St. John's 20
Harrow	King Edward 488	London	St. John's 209a
Harrowsmith	Albion 109	London	Temple 597

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Location	Name and No.	Location	Name and No.
London	The Tuscan 195	Oshawa	Parkwood 695
London	Union 380	Oshawa	Temple 649
Longue Sault	Wales 458	Ottawa	Acacia 561
Lucan	Irving 154	Ottawa	Ashlar 564
Lucknow	Old Light 184	Ottawa	Chaudiere 264
Lyn	Lyn 416	Ottawa	Civil Service 148
Lynden	Lynden 505	Ottawa	Dalhousie 52
Madoc	Madoc 48	Ottawa	Defenders 590
Mallorytown	Macoy 242	Ottawa	Doric 58
Maple	Vaughan 54	Ottawa	Ionic 526
Markdale	Hiram 490	Ottawa	Lodge of Fidelity 231
Markham	Markham Union 87	Ottawa	Prince of Wales 371
Marmora	Marmora 222	Ottawa	Rideau 595
Martintown	Martintown 596	Ottawa	St Andrew's 560
Mattawa	Mattawa 405	Ottawa	Sidney Albert Luke 558
Maxville	Maxville 418	Ottawa	Temple 665
Meaford	Pythagoras 137	Ottawa	The Builders 177
Melbourne	Dufferin 364	Owen Sound	North Star 322
Merlin	Century 457	Owen Sound	St. George's 88
Merrickville	Merrickville 55	Paisley	Aldworth 235
Merritton	Adanac 614	Palmerston	Blair 314
Midland	Caledonian 249	Paris	St. John's 82
Millbrook	J. B. Hall 145	Parkhill	Doric 233
Millgrove	Waterdown 357	Parry Sound	Granite 352
Milton	St. Clair 135	Pembroke	Pembroke 128
Milverton	Milverton 478	Penetanguishene	Georgian 348
Mimico	Anthony Sayer 640	Perth	True Britons' 14
Mimico	Connaught 501	Peterborough	Corinthian 101
Mimico	Lake Shore 645	Peterborough	Peterborough 155
Mimico	Long Branch 632	Peterborough	Royal Arthur 523
Minden	Arcadia 440	Peterborough	William James
Mitchell	Tudor 141	Petrolia	Dunlop 675
Monkton	Elma 456	Petrolia	Petrolia 194
Morrisburg	Excelsior 142	Petrolia	Washington 260
Mount Albert	Rowland 646	Pickering	Doric 424
Mount Brydges	St. John's 81	Picton	Prince Edward 18
Mount Elgin	Dereham 624	Plattsburg	Plattsburg 178
Mount Forest	St. Albans 200	Port Arthur	Port Arthur 499
Napanee	Union 9	Port Arthur	Shuniah 287
Napier	Ionic 328	Port Arthur	Thunder Bay 618
Newboro	Simpson 157	Port Burwell	Oriental 181
Newburgh	Prince of Wales 146	Port Credit	Joseph A. Hearn 685
Newcastle	Durham 66	Port Credit	Mississauga 524
New Hamburg	New Dominion 205	Port Credit	South Gate 674
New Liskeard	Temiskaming 462	Port Colborne	Macnah 169
Newmarket	Tuscan 99	Port Dalhousie	Granthan 698
Niagara	Niagara-on-the-Lake 2	Port Dalhousie	Seymour 277
Niagara Falls	Adoniram 573	Port Dover	Erie 149
Niagara Falls	Clifton 254	Port Elgin	Port Elgin 429
Niagara Falls	St. Mark's 105	Port Hope	Hope 114
Nilestown	Nilestown 345	Port Hope	Ontario 26
North Augusta	Crystal Fount. 389	Port McNicoll	Earl Klchener 538
North Bay	Ninissing 420	Port Perry	Fidelity 428
North Bay	North Bay 617	Port Robinson	Myrtle 337
North Gower	Corinthian 476	Port Rowan	Walsingham 174
Norwich	St. John's 104	Port Stanley	St. Mark's 94
Norwood	Norwood 223	Powassan	Powassan 443
Oakville	Claude M. Kent 681	Prescott	Central 110
Oakville	Oakville 400	Preston	Preston 297
Odessa	Prince Arthur 228	Princeton	Blenheim 108
Oil Springs	Alexandria 158	Queensville	Sharon 97
Omeme	Lorne 275	Painy River	Ionic 461
Onondaga	Onondaga 519	Red Lake	Chukuni 660
Orangeville	Harris 216	Red Rock	Superior 672
Orillia	Equity 659	Renfrew	Renfrew 122
Orillia	Orillia 192	Riceville	Plantagenet 186
Orono	Orono 325	Richmond	Goodwood 159
Oshawa	Cedar 270	Richmond	Hill Richmond 23
Oshawa	Lebanon 139		

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Ridgetown	Howard 391	Thornbury	Beaver 234
Ridgeway	Dominion 615	Thorndale	Mount Olivet 300
Rodney	Rodney 411	Thornhill	Kroy 676
Russell	Russell 479	Thornhill	Patterson 265
St. Catharines	Maple Leaf 103	Tilbury	Naphthali 413
St. Catharines	Perfection 616	Tillsonburg	Ashlar UD
St. Catharines	St. Andrew's 661	Tillsonburg	King Hiram 78
St. Catharines	St. George's 15	Thorold	Mountain 221
St. Catharines	Temple 296	Timmins	Golden Beaver 523
St. George	St. George 243	Tiverton	Bruce 341
St. Marys	St. James 73	Todmorden	Todmorden 647
St. Thomas	St. David's 302	Toledo	Fidelity 650
St. Thomas	St. Thomas 44	Toronto	Acacia 430
St. Thomas	Talbot 546	Toronto	Alpha 384
Sarnia	Liberty 419	Toronto	Antiquity 571
Sarnia	St. Paul 601	Toronto	Ashlar 247
Sarnia	Tuscan 437	Toronto	Bay of Quinte 620
Sarnia	Victoria 56	Toronto	Bedford 638
Sault Ste. Marie	Algoma 469	Toronto	Caledonia 637
Sault Ste. Marie	Hatherly 625	Toronto	Canada 532
Sault Ste. Marie	Keystone 412	Toronto	Cathedral 643
Scarboro	Wexford 683	Toronto	Corinthian 481
Schomberg	Union 118	Toronto	Coronati 520
Scotland	Scotland 193	Toronto	Delta 634
Seaforth	Britannia 170	Toronto	Dentonia 651
Scudder	Pelee 627	Toronto	Doric 316
Seecley's Bay	Rideau 460	Toronto	Dufferin 570
Sharbot Lake	Frontenac 621	Toronto	Fairbank 592
Shelburne	Lorne 377	Toronto	Fidelity 575
Simee	Norfolk 10	Toronto	Georgina 343
Sioux Lookout	Sioux Lookout 518	Toronto	General Mercer 548
Smiths Falls	Osiris 489	Toronto	Golden Fleece 607
Smiths Falls	St. Francis 24	Toronto	Grenville 629
Smithville	Coronation 502	Toronto	Grey 599
Sombra	St. Clair 425	Toronto	Harcourt 581
Southampton	St. Lawrence 131	Toronto	Harmony 438
South Augusta	St. James 74	Toronto	Harry L. Martyn 696
South Porcupine	Porcupine 506	Toronto	High Park 531
Stamford Centre	Centennial 679	Toronto	Huron-Bruce 611
Stamford Centre	Stamford 626	Toronto	Imperial 543
Spencerville	Nation 556	Toronto	Ionic 25
Springfield	Springfield 259	Toronto	King Solomon's 22
Stayner	Northern Light 266	Toronto	Kilwinning 565
Stirling	Stirling 69	Toronto	King Hiram 566
Stoney Creek	Thomas Hamilton Simpson 692	Toronto	John Ross Robertson 545
Stoney Creek	Wentworth 166	Toronto	Maple Leaf 600
Stouffville	Richardson 136	Toronto	Melita 605
Stratford	Stratford 332	Toronto	Memorial 652
Stratford	Tecumseh 144	Toronto	Metropolitan 542
Strathroy	Beaver 83	Toronto	Mizpah 572
Streetsville	River Park 356	Toronto	Mimosa 576
Stroud	Minerva 304	Toronto	Mt. Sinai 522
Sturgeon Falls	Sturgeon Falls 447	Toronto	North Gate 591
Sudbury	Bethel 699	Toronto	Oakwood 553
Sudbury	Nickel 427	Toronto	Occident 546
Sudbury	Sudbury 658	Toronto	Orient 539
Sunderland	King Edward 464	Toronto	Palestine 559
Sundridge	Strong 423	Toronto	Parkdale 510
Sutton West	Malone 512	Toronto	Patricia 587
Tamworth	Lorne 404	Toronto	Prince of Wales 630
Tara	Maple Leaf 362	Toronto	Queen City 552
Tavistock	Tavistock 609	Toronto	Rehebohm 65
Teeswater	Teeswater 276	Toronto	Remembrance 586
Terrace Bay	Terrace Bay 662	Toronto	Riverdale 494
Thamesford	King Solomon 394	Toronto	Runnymede 619
Thamesford	Tecumseh 245	Toronto	St. Aidan's 567
Thedford	Cassia 116	Toronto	St. Alban's 514
Thessalon	Dymont 442	Toronto	St. Andrew's 16
		Toronto	St. Clair 577
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Toronto	Shamrock 533	Welland	Cope-Stone 168
Toronto	Simcoe 644	Welland	Merritt 168
Toronto	Stanley 426	Wellandport	Dufferin 338
Toronto	Stevenson 218	Wellington	Star in the East 164
Toronto	Sunnyside 582	West Flamboro	Dufferin 291
Toronto	Temple 525	West Lorne	McColl 386
Toronto	The Beaches 473	Weston	Astra 682
Toronto	The Victory 547	Weston	Coronation 677
Toronto	Transportation 583	Weston	Humber 305
Toronto	Tuscan 541	Weston	Mount Dennis 599
Toronto	Ulster 537	Westport	Westport 441
Toronto	Unity 606	Wheatley	Xenophon 448
Toronto	University 496	Whitby	Composite 30
Toronto	Victoria 474	Wiarton	Cedar 396
Toronto	Wellington 635	Williamsburg	Williamsburg 480
Toronto	Wilson 86	Winchester	Henderson 383
Toronto	York 156	Windsor	Border Cities 554
Toronto	Zeta 410	Windsor	Dominion 598
Toronto	Zetland 326	Windsor	Garden 641
Tottenham	Tottenham 467	Windsor	Great Western 47
Trenton	Trent 38	Windsor	Harmony 579
Tweed	Tweed 239	Windsor	Ontario 521
Uxbridge	Zerdatha 220	Windsor	Palace 604
Vankleek Hill	St. John's 21A	Windsor	Rose 500
Victoria Harbour	Victoria 470	Windsor	St. Andrew's 642
Vienna	Vienna 237	Windsor	Windsor 403
Vittoria	Vittoria 359	Wingham	Wingham 286
Walkerton	Saugeen 197	Woodbridge	Blackwood 311
Wallaceburg	Baldoon 694	Woodville	Harding 477
Wallaceburg	Pnyx 312	Woodstock	King Solomon's 43
Wardsville	Hammond 327	Woodstock	Mercer Wilson 678
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1855 W.	M. Wilson	A. Bernard	R. Bull	J. Daniell	W. Bellhouse	T. B. Harris	F. J. Lundy	1855
1856 W.	M. Wilson	A. Bernard	J. J. Isaacson	J. Magill	J. Osborne	Geo. Caulfield	T. B. Harris	1856
1856 W.	M. Wilson	J. E. Smith	J. J. Scott	S. Ross	W. Bellhouse	J. B. Harris	J. Tremayne	1856
1857 W.	M. Wilson	J. E. Smith	J. P. Ridout	J. K. Brown	W. Bellhouse	T. B. Harris	W. H. Miller	1857
1858 W.	M. Wilson	J. F. W. Barron	T. D. Harington	A. A. Stevenson	J. B. Harris	T. B. Harris	R. Richardson	1858
1859 W.	M. Wilson	T. D. Harington	W. B. Simpson	T. D. Gile	J. H. Groat	T. B. Harris	S. B. Harman	1859
1860 T.	D. Harington	W. B. Simpson	E. Spence	J. D. Mackie	J. H. Groat	T. B. Harris	E. Heathfield	1860
1861 T.	D. Harington	W. B. Simpson	J. Seymour	J. H. Groat	J. H. Groat	T. B. Harris	D. Curtis, Jr.	1861
1862 T.	D. Harington	W. B. Simpson	J. Seymour	J. C. Davy	J. H. Groat	T. B. Harris	V. Noel	1862
1863 T.	D. Harington	W. B. Simpson	H. Macpherson	J. D. Harris	J. H. Groat	T. B. Harris	J. J. II. Graham	1863
1864 W.	B. Simpson	A. A. Stevenson	E. J. Sisson	J. Renshaw	J. H. Groat	T. B. Harris	C. D. Macdonell	1864
1865 W.	B. Simpson	A. S. Kirkpatrick	M. Crombie	J. M. Groat	T. B. Harris	J. H. Groat	R. Irwin	1865
1866 W.	M. Wilson	A. A. Stevenson	J. Kerr	J. H. Stearns	J. H. Groat	T. B. Harris	F. C. Draper	1866
1866 W.	M. Wilson	A. A. Stevenson	J. Kerr	J. H. Stearns	J. H. Groat	T. B. Harris	M. Murray	1867
1867 W.	M. Wilson	A. A. Stevenson	J. W. Munro	J. Baker	J. H. Groat	T. B. Harris	V. Clementi	1867
1868 A.	A. Stevenson	J. Seymour	J. W. Munro	J. Thomas	J. H. Groat	T. B. Harris	D. Spry	1868
1869 A.	A. Stevenson	J. Seymour	J. W. Munro	J. Brown	J. H. Groat	T. B. Harris	H. Montgomery	1869
1870 A.	A. Stevenson	J. Seymour	J. White	J. H. Robertson	J. H. Groat	T. B. Harris	S. B. Fairbanks	1870
1871 J.	E. Wilson	J. White	J. A. McLean	J. F. Stephens	J. H. Groat	T. B. Harris	D. McLellan	1870
1872 W.	M. Wilson	J. White	J. Bain	J. H. Merrill	J. H. Groat	T. B. Harris	J. B. Bickell	1871
1873 W.	M. Wilson	J. White	J. B. Charlton	J. H. Mudge	J. H. Groat	T. B. Harris	J. C. Forest	1872
1874 W.	M. Wilson	J. K. Kerr	J. W. R. White	J. H. Murray	J. H. Groat	T. B. Harris	J. C. Bennett	1873
1875 J.	K. Kerr	J. S. Birrell	A. J. Cambie	J. H. G. S. Birrell	J. H. Groat	J. H. G. S. Birrell	J. J. Nettleton	1873
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1877 W.	H. Weller	J. A. Henderson	G. J. W. Weller	J. H. Weller	J. H. Tracy	J. H. G. S. Birrell	M. Innes	1874
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1881 J.	J. Moffatt	J. R. Robertson	J. H. Weller	J. H. Weller	J. A. Gunn	J. H. G. S. Birrell	M. Innes	1876
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1886 H.	Robertson	J. R. T. Walkem	J. R. T. Walkem	J. R. T. Walkem	J. R. T. Walkem	J. H. G. S. Birrell	M. Innes	1879
1887 H.	Robertson	J. R. T. Walkem	J. R. T. Walkem	J. R. T. Walkem	J. R. T. Walkem	J. H. G. S. Birrell	M. Innes	1880
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1889 R.	T. Walkem	J. R. Robertson	J. McLauchlan	J. McLauchlan	J. McLauchlan	J. H. G. S. Birrell	M. Innes	1882
1890 J.	R. Robertson	J. M. Gibson	J. Maingy	J. Maingy	J. Maingy	J. H. G. S. Birrell	M. Innes	1883
1891 J.	R. Robertson	J. M. Gibson	J. Sutherland	J. Sutherland	J. Sutherland	J. H. G. S. Birrell	M. Innes	1884

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1911	A. White	W. D. McPherson	J. G. Davis	E. T. Malone	J. J. Malone	J. J. Malone	R. L. Gunn	S. A. Woods	1911
1912	A. White	W. D. McPherson	J. G. Grob	E. T. Malone	J. J. Malone	J. J. Malone	R. L. Gunn	A. N. Pettit	1912
1913	W. D. McPherson	S. A. Luke	R. N. Shaver	R. Miller	E. T. Malone	J. J. Malone	R. L. Gunn	W. M. Kannawin	1913
1914	W. D. McPherson	S. A. Luke	J. W. Wilson	J. Boyd	E. T. Malone	J. J. Malone	R. L. Gunn	O. Cars	1914
1915	S. A. Luke	R. W. Wardrope	J. W. Warren	J. Tanner	E. T. Malone	J. J. Malone	R. L. Gunn	J. G. A. Stewart	1915
1916	S. A. Luke	R. W. Wardrope	G. Moore	R. W. Clewio	E. T. Malone	J. J. Malone	R. L. Gunn	J. H. Gibson	1916
1917	S. A. Luke	R. W. Wardrope	G. Cane	R. W. Wardrope	E. T. Malone	J. J. Malone	R. L. Gunn	J. H. Marshall	1917
1918	W. H. Wardrope	F. W. Harcourt	O. Adams	G. W. Fluker	E. T. Malone	J. J. Malone	R. L. Gunn	J. H. Snegrove	1918
1919	W. H. Wardrope	F. W. Harcourt	N. H. Abbott	E. T. Malone	J. J. Malone	J. J. Malone	R. L. Gunn	J. W. H. Marshall	1919
1920	W. H. Wardrope	F. W. Harcourt	M. Wilkie	E. T. Malone	J. J. Malone	J. J. Malone	R. L. Gunn	J. H. Snegrove	1920
1921	W. H. Wardrope	F. W. Harcourt	M. Madul	E. T. Malone	J. J. Malone	J. J. Malone	R. L. Gunn	J. W. Hickson	1921
1922	W. H. Wardrope	F. W. Harcourt	E. T. McMaster	E. T. Malone	J. J. Malone	J. J. Malone	R. L. Gunn	J. W. Parsell	1922
1923	W. H. Wardrope	F. W. Harcourt	E. T. McMaster	E. T. Malone	J. J. Malone	J. J. Malone	R. L. Gunn	J. W. Cairns	1923
1924	W. H. Wardrope	F. W. Harcourt	E. T. McMaster	E. T. Malone	J. J. Malone	J. J. Malone	R. L. Gunn	G. McLeish	1924
1925	W. H. Wardrope	F. W. Harcourt	E. T. McMaster	E. T. Malone	J. J. Malone	J. J. Malone	R. L. Gunn	R. W. Allen	1925
1926	W. H. Wardrope	F. W. Harcourt	E. T. McMaster	E. T. Malone	J. J. Malone	J. J. Malone	R. L. Gunn	J. H. Buchanan	1926
1927	W. H. Wardrope	F. W. Harcourt	E. T. McMaster	E. T. Malone	J. J. Malone	J. J. Malone	R. L. Gunn	J. W. Temple	1927
1928	W. H. Wardrope	F. W. Harcourt	E. T. McMaster	E. T. Malone	J. J. Malone	J. J. Malone	R. L. Gunn	D. McCaughrin	1928
1929	W. H. Wardrope	F. W. Harcourt	E. T. McMaster	E. T. Malone	J. J. Malone	J. J. Malone	R. L. Gunn	F. A. Seager	1929
1930	W. H. Wardrope	F. W. Harcourt	E. T. McMaster	E. T. Malone	J. J. Malone	J. J. Malone	R. L. Gunn	G. A. Gibbons	1930

Date of Election	Grand Master	Grand Senior Warden	Grand Junior Warden	Grand Junior Warden	Grand Treasurer	Grand Secretary	Grand Chaplain	Grand Registrar	Date of Election
1931 W. S. Herrington—	F. A. Copus.....	V. Williamson.....	H. L. Freeston.....	E. T. Matone.....	W. M. Logan.....	C. R. Spencer.....	H. Johnson.....	—	1931
1932 W. S. Herrington—	F. A. Copus.....	W. II. Gimblet.....	E. T. Marshall.....	E. T. Malone.....	W. M. Logan.....	C. R. Spencer.....	H. D. Succe.....	—	1932
1933 F. A. Copus.....	A. J. Anderson.....	E. Coombs.....	B. B. Hodge.....	J. A. Rowland.....	W. M. Logan.....	J. Lyons.....	C. D. Matthews.....	—	1933
1934 A. J. Anderson.....	A. J. Anderson.....	A. E. Drummond.....	B. B. Hodge.....	J. A. Rowland.....	W. M. Logan.....	S. E. Lambert.....	W. O. Morris.....	—	1934
1935 A. J. Anderson.....	W. J. Dunlop.....	S. Villa.....	G. E. French.....	J. A. Rowland.....	W. M. Logan.....	J. Morris.....	W. J. S. Graham.....	—	1935
1936 A. J. Anderson.....	W. J. Dunlop.....	G. S. Guthrie.....	S. J. Martin.....	J. A. Rowland.....	W. M. Logan.....	W. M. Lee.....	S. Young.....	—	1936
1937 W. J. Dunlop.....	J. A. Dobbie.....	W. E. Gowling.....	J. A. Hearn.....	J. A. Rowland.....	W. M. Logan.....	R. C. McDermid.....	J. C. Ross.....	—	1937
1938 W. J. Dunlop.....	J. A. Dobbie.....	W. T. Overend.....	J. A. M. Hay.....	J. A. Rowland.....	E. G. Dixon.....	W. C. White.....	F. E. Sillifant.....	—	1938
1939 J. A. Dobbie.....	J. A. Dobbie.....	F. II. England.....	B. C. Beasley.....	J. A. Rowland.....	E. G. Dixon.....	S. L. W. Harton.....	J. A. Foucar.....	—	1939
1940 J. A. Dobbie.....	J. A. McPhee.....	M. J. Kinnee.....	G. J. Hinton.....	J. A. Rowland.....	E. G. Dixon.....	Thos. Eakin.....	J. R. Boal.....	—	1940
1941 J. A. McRae.....	J. A. McRae.....	W. II. C. McEachern.....	L. Wardley.....	J. A. Rowland.....	E. G. Dixon.....	G. F. Kingston.....	G. S. Warren.....	—	1941
1942 J. A. McRae.....	J. C. Wardley.....	T. C. Wardley.....	J. A. Wardley.....	J. A. Rowland.....	E. G. Dixon.....	W. N. Love.....	G. A. Martin.....	—	1942
1943 T. C. Wardley—	T. C. Wardley.....	*W. Y. Mills.....	E. A. Miller.....	J. A. Rowland.....	E. G. Dixon.....	W. J. Dunlop.....	J. E. Kidd.....	J. Briggs.....	1943
1944 T. C. Wardley—	C. S. Hamilton—	A. L. Bennett.....	A. L. Bennett.....	K. Redman.....	W. J. Dunlop.....	E. G. Dixon.....	E. A. Thomsson.....	C. A. Bailey.....	1944
1945 C. S. Hamilton—	T. II. Simpson.....	G. F. Kingsmill.....	A. M. Rollo.....	W. J. Dunlop.....	E. G. Dixon.....	W. J. Johnston.....	C. B. Wilson.....	—	1945
1946 C. S. Hamilton—	T. II. Simpson.....	J. H. Mitchell.....	G. F. Clark.....	W. J. Dunlop.....	E. G. Dixon.....	D. H. MacLennan.....	R. E. Mills.....	—	1946
1947 T. II. Simpson.....	J. P. Maher.....	C. J. Heimrich.....	F. A. R. McNair.....	W. J. Dunlop.....	E. G. Dixon.....	W. L. Wright.....	A. E. Selvey.....	—	1947
1948 T. II. Simpson.....	J. P. Maher.....	F. G. Chandler.....	B. E. Easton.....	W. J. Dunlop.....	E. G. Dixon.....	J. Jas. Semple.....	J. H. Burnett.....	—	1948
1949 J. P. Maher.....	N. C. Hart.....	W. D. Connor.....	J. G. Dodd.....	W. J. Dunlop.....	E. G. Dixon.....	C. E. Kenny.....	*C. W. Powers.....	—	1949
1950 J. P. Maher.....	N. C. Hart.....	E. N. Gregory.....	B. A. Wilson.....	W. J. Dunlop.....	E. G. Dixon.....	G. S. Scovell.....	A. D. Read.....	—	1950
1951 N. C. Hart.....	J. A. Hearn.....	R. W. Richards.....	J. W. Richards.....	W. J. Dunlop.....	E. G. Dixon.....	Morrison Sellar—II.	B. Coxon.....	—	1951
1952 N. C. Hart.....	J. A. Hearn.....	J. F. Hearn.....	R. W. Hearn.....	W. J. Dunlop.....	E. G. Dixon.....	C. Donald.....	F. E. Mason.....	—	1952
1953 J. A. Hearn.....	W. L. Wright.....	R. M. Gansolus.....	G. F. Guy.....	W. J. Dunlop.....	E. G. Dixon.....	H. B. Neal.....	G. V. Tario.....	—	1953
1954 J. A. Hearn.....	W. L. Wright.....	M. C. Cain.....	Hugh Tait.....	W. J. Dunlop.....	E. G. Dixon.....	H. G. Cleghorn.....	J. Johnstone.....	—	1954
1955 W. L. Wright.....	J. A. Martyn.....	D. M. Fleming.....	W. J. Dunlop.....	E. G. Dixon.....	J. M. Brownlie.....	C. J. Bailey.....	—	—	1955
1956 W. L. Wright.....	H. L. Martyn.....	*A. E. Langman.....	W. J. Dunlop.....	E. G. Dixon.....	D. M. Guest.....	H. R. Wellington.....	—	—	1956
*Died during term.									
1957 H. L. Martyn.....	C. M. Pitts.....	J. B. Ryan.....	J. N. Salter.....	W. J. Dunlop.....	E. G. Dixon.....	E. A. McCallagh.....	O. E. Keene.....	—	1957
1958 H. L. Martyn.....	C. M. Pitts.....	J. L. James.....	J. B. Sainsbury.....	W. J. Dunlop.....	E. G. Dixon.....	S. Skinner.....	R. C. Woodley.....	—	1958
1959 C. M. Pitts.....	R. W. Treleaven.....	J. J. Talman.....	T. H. Hamilton.....	W. J. Dunlop.....	E. G. Dixon.....	M. G. R. Williams.....	E. J. McKeever.....	—	1959

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*Michael Furnell	Hamilton	1857	P.D.D.G.M.
*W. C. Stephens	Kentucky	1858	P.G.M.
*Robert Morris	Vermont	1858	P.D.G.M.
*T. D. Harrington	Montreal	1858	P.G.M.
*Thos. G. Ridout	Toronto	1859	P.G.M.
*Aldis Bernard	Montreal	1860	P.G.M.
Thomas Drummond		1862	P.G.J.W.
*John H. Graham	Richmond	1864	P.G.J.W.
*Jas. V. MacKey	Ireland	1867	P.G.S.W.
*Brackstone Baker	England	1868	P.G.S.W.
*Sir John A. Macdonald	Kingston	1868	P.G.S.W.
*John V. Ellis	New Brunswick	1869	P.G.S.W.
*Rev. C. P. Bliss	New Brunswick	1871	P.G. Chap.
*Wm. H. Fraser	Wisconsin	1873	P.G. Reg.
H. A. MacKay	Hamilton	1873	P.G. Reg.
*Thos. White, jr.	Montreal	1874	P.G.M.
J. A. Lockwood	New York	1882	P.G.S.W.
*Otto Klotz	Preston	1885	P.G.M.
*Geo. C. Patterson	Toronto	1897	P.G. Reg.
*T. R. Barton	Toronto	1897	P.G. Reg.
*J. J. Ramsay	Toronto	1897	P.G. Reg.
*Kivas Tully	Toronto	1897	P.G.M.
*W. A. Sutherland	New York	1900	P.G.M.
*J. J. Mason	Hamilton	1900	P.G.M.
*Chief Justice Gerald Fitz-Gibbon	Ireland	1900	P.G.S.W.
*R. L. Shriner	Toronto	1900	P.G. Reg.
*Alex. Patterson	Toronto	1901	P.G. Reg.
*H.R.H. Duke of Connaught	England	1902	P.G.M.
*Lord Ampthill	England	1919	P.G.M.
Gerald Fitzgibbon, K.C.	Ireland	1920	P.G.S.W.
Rt. Hon. Lord Desborough, K.C.V.O.	England	1920	P.G.S.W.
Stanley Machin, J.P.	England	1920	P.G.S.W.
Jas. H. Stirling	Ireland	1920	P.G.S.W.
A. Cecil Powell	England	1920	P.G.J.W.
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*Chas. H. Ramsay	Massachusetts	1923	P.G.S.W.
*Frank H. Hilton	Massachusetts	1923	P.G.J.W.
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*Chas. B. Murray	Toronto	1925	P.G. Reg.
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*Viscount Galway	England	1931	P.G.S.W.
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Robt. J. Soddy	England	1933	P.G.S'd.
*Gen. Sir Francis Davies	England	1938	P.D.G.M.
Canon Thomas T. Blockley	England	1938	P.G. Chap.
Rt. Hon. Viscount de Vesci	England	1938	P.G.S.W.
Major R. L. Loyd	England	1938	P.G. Reg.
Raymond F. Brooke	Ireland	1938	P.D.G.M.
Rt. Hon. Lord Farnham	Ireland	1938	P.G.S.W.
Dr. W. E. Thrift	Ireland	1938	P.G.J.W.
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*T. G. Winning	Scotland	1938	P.G.J.W.
Joseph E. Perry	Massachusetts	1938	P.G.M.
Reginald Harris	Nova Scotia	1938	P.G.M.
Norman T. Avard	Nova Scotia	1938	P.G.M.
*Sir E. H. Cooper	England	1940	P.G. Reg.
*Ernest B. Thompson	Hamilton	1959	P.G.S.W.
James W. Hamilton	Hamilton	1959	P.G.S.W.
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Scotland.....	J. A. McRae.....	Kingston

**Dominion of Canada**

Alberta.....	J. P. Maher.....	Toronto
British Columbia.....	R. W. Treleaven.....	Hamilton
Manitoba.....	C. S. Hamilton.....	Toronto
New Brunswick.....	W. H. Gibson.....	Tillsonburg
Nova Scotia.....	James Semple.....	North Bay
Prince Edward Id. ....	Geo. H. Ryerson.....	Brantford
Quebec.....		
Saskatchewan.....	Richard E. Mills.....	Elora

**Other British Countries**

New South Wales.....	Walter T. Robb.....	Orangeville
New Zealand.....	D. J. Gunn.....	Toronto
Queensland.....	H. L. Martyn.....	Toronto
South Australia.....	R. E. Clemens.....	Hamilton
Tasmania.....	E. W. E. Saunders.....	Toronto
Victoria.....	M. F. Dyke.....	Blind River
Western Australia.....	B. C. McClelland.....	Toronto

**United States of America**

Alabama.....	G. J. McQueen.....	Hamilton
Arizona.....	O. M. Newton.....	Trenton
Arkansas.....	E. T. Howe.....	Windsor
California.....	N. C. Hart.....	London
Colorado.....	H. Minchinton.....	Toronto
Connecticut.....	W. F. Reynolds.....	Brockville
Delaware.....	E. A. Carleton.....	Stirling
Dist. of Columbia.....	J. R. Rumball.....	Toronto
Florida.....	J. R. Simpson.....	Toronto

Georgia.....	M. C. Cain.....	Toronto
Idaho.....	C. H. Lord.....	Toronto
Illinois.....	J. A. Hearn.....	Toronto
Indiana.....	Donald M. Sutherland.....	Embro
Iowa.....	A. E. MacGregor.....	Toronto
Kansas.....	Alan Broughton.....	Sault Ste. Marie
Kentucky.....	Geo. T. Evans.....	Hamilton
Louisiana.....	Morrison Sellar.....	Owen Sound
Maine.....	W. T. Overend.....	Toronto
Maryland.....	Stilson Swales.....	Watford
Massachusetts.....	T. H. Simpson.....	Hamilton
Michigan.....	Harvey Linklater.....	Kincardine
Minnesota.....	W. J. Fuller.....	Mitchell
Mississippi.....	W. H. Kipp.....	London
Missouri.....	C. E. Hough.....	Toronto
Montana.....	D. A. McInnis.....	Windsor
Nebraska.....	C. M. Pitts.....	Ottawa
Nevada.....	H. B. Coxon.....	London
New Hampshire.....	B. B. Foster.....	Ridgetown
New Jersey.....	Thos. Montgomery.....	Sarnia
New Mexico.....	C. P. Tilley.....	Ottawa
New York.....	G. F. Kingsmill.....	London
North Carolina.....	A. C. Ashforth.....	Toronto
North Dakota.....	Gordon Young.....	Brockville
Ohio.....	G. O. Coales.....	Toronto
Oklahoma.....	C. M. Rawson.....	Toronto
Oregon.....	F. D. Shannon.....	Barrie
Rhode Island.....	Geo. F. Clark.....	Hamilton
South Carolina.....	Ewart G. Dixon.....	Hamilton
South Dakota.....	E. A. Miller.....	London
Tennessee.....	Ed. Balfour.....	Toronto
Texas.....	A. W. Baker.....	Guelph
Utah.....	G. W. McRae.....	Toronto
Vermont.....	A. L. Lott.....	Hamilton
Virginia.....	M. L. Martyn.....	Toronto
Washington.....	B. S. Edmondson.....	Oshawa
West Virginia.....	W. D. Connor.....	Hamilton
Wisconsin.....	H. S. Johnston.....	Lindsay

#### Other Countries

Argentina.....	T. N. Clarke.....	Kingston
Bahia (Brazil).....	Wellington Smith.....	Fort Frances
Chile.....	W. E. W. Cressey.....	Sudbury

## Colombia

Baranquilla.....	T. H. W. Martin.....	Toronto
Colombia Bogota.....	J. H. Burke.....	Port Stanley
Colombia Cartagena.....	A. V. Chapman.....	Port Arthur
Costa Rica.....	E. N. Gregory.....	Lindsay
Cuba.....	Angus Graham.....	Thamesville
Denmark.....	W. L. Wright.....	Sault Ste. Marie
Ecuador.....	J. N. Allan.....	Dunnville
France, Nationale.....	J. F. Swayze.....	Toronto
Germany (United)....	C. F. Cannon.....	Toronto
Guatemala.....	Wm. J. Attig.....	Powassan
Iceland.....	R. L. Dobbin.....	Peterborough
Israel.....	D. Lou Harris.....	Toronto
Mexico, York.....	W. B. Cannon.....	Caledon East
Netherlands.....	G. E. French.....	Niagara Falls
Norway.....	R. C. Berkinshaw.....	Toronto
Panama.....	G. H. Vogan.....	St. Thomas
Para (Brazil).....	A. D. McRae.....	Vankleek Hill
Paraiba (Brazil).....	Allan C. Mason.....	Kitchener
Peru.....	A. B. Shoemaker.....	Kitchener
Philippines.....	P. N. Knight.....	Grafton
Porto Rico.....	Karl B. Conger.....	Ottawa
Sweden.....	C. H. Reeve.....	Toronto
Switzerland.....	W. S. Milmine.....	Stoney Creek
Venezuela.....	Robt. Strachan.....	Hamilton

## REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FRATERNAL CORRESPONDENCE

To the Most Worshipful, the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge, A.F. & A.M., of Canada, in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir,—

Your Committee on Fraternal Correspondence for the Masonic Year 1958-1959, composed of M.W. Bro. F. A. Copus, M.W. Bro. W. J. Dunlop, M.W. Bro. C. S. Hamilton, R.W. Bro. R. W. Treleaven, R.W. Bro. E. G. Dixon and M.W. Bro. N. C. Hart, Chairman, begs to submit its report for your consideration.

### FOREWORD

Records from some 81 Grand Jurisdictions have been received, most of them the Proceedings of those Grand Lodges. Occasionally no reports of Annual Communications were received and official periodicals were used for Reviews.

The usual procedure of giving the number and date of the Annual Communication, the name of the Grand Master, the number of Lodges, the membership and the gain or loss during the Masonic Year, has been followed. It is interesting to note that there has been a considerable increase in total membership throughout the Masonic World, although a few Grand Jurisdictions show slight decreases. A number of Grand Lodges report the formation of new constituent Lodges, but the amalgamation of two Lodges was recorded by only one. On the whole the Fraternity appears to be in a flourishing condition. Growth is mentioned in New South Wales, New Jersey, New Mexico, Victoria and elsewhere, but decreases are recorded for the District of Columbia.

A reading of the Proceedings reveals considerable expenditures for the building and repairing of Masonic Temples. It is also gratifying to note that benevolent activities are well supported. Various Grand Jurisdictions of the British Commonwealth of Nations show con-

siderable levies and allocation of funds for Masonic Homes and other charitable ventures. The care of indigent Masons and their relatives may well be considered one of the main objectives of the Craft, and it is encouraging to note that it is not over-looked.

Official copies of the Proceedings of the various Grand Lodges are on file in the Grand Secretary's office. When extra copies are available they are placed in the Grand Lodge Library and may be obtained from the Librarian, R.W. Bro. A. E. MacGregor. Brethren who wish more details, than the Reviews offer, should consult these officials for additional information.

Incidentally, one of the out-standing events of the year was the dedication of the new Grand Lodge Temple in San Francisco, California. On this occasion the address of the Grand Master of the United Grand Lodge of England, the Right Honorable, The Earl of Scarbrough, was a magnificent review of Masonic History. It is published in the Proceedings of the last Quarterly Communication of the Mother Grand Lodge in 1958.

In the treatment of various Grand Lodges an attempt has been made to emphasize the importance of Masonry to the officers and members. This has been done by referring to the activities of various Grand Lodge Committees, and by recording excerpts from Addresses of the Grand Masters, Grand Orators and special speakers. The topics are reported generously in the Reviews, and in many instances the Addresses appear verbatim in the Proceedings of the Grand Lodges under consideration.

A few of the topics associated very directly with Masonry are recorded herein. In Kentucky reference was made to "Tasks for Masonry"; in Manitoba the Grand Master spoke on "Masonry, the Key"; in Mississippi, the Grand Master, John T. Wilbanks, used the topic, "Masonry and Americanism"; in Massachusetts, Bro. E. Robert Chable excelled in the treatment of "What is the Philosophy of Freemasonry?"; in New Brunswick, M.W. Bro. (Rev.) Donald A. Somerville emphasized the "Permanence of Masonry"; in Colorado the Grand Orator, Bro. Humber Rees, asks, "What Makes You a Mason?"; and in South Dakota, M.W. Bro. Robt. A.

Tate, Grand Secretary of Saskatchewan, used the topic, "Freemasonry and Freedom". These and many other subjects, which might be mentioned, seem to emphasize the importance and high regard attributed to the Craft.

Some decisions and transactions reported in the Proceedings would meet with the approval of the Grand Lodge of Canada. In Montana the Grand Master ruled that no dispensations could be issued for Masonic functions on Sunday—a ruling which would receive almost 100% support in Ontario. Indiana deserves a word of commendation for stressing the need for increased fees and dues. It has been said occasionally in Canada that our Masonry is "too cheap", and costs of living are constantly increasing. Kentucky condemned "Games of Chance" associated with Masonic activities.

It is interesting to note that there is considerable activity in Masonic Instruction and Education, and usually most pronounced in Grand Jurisdictions which have good Masonic libraries. Iowa has long been prominent in this respect, but New York and Pennsylvania have excellent facilities.

One might continue at length to comment on the various phases of Masonic endeavour, but probably enough has been included in this Foreword to stimulate some interest in reading the Reviews. They should be of some value in Masonic Education.

Respectfully submitted,

NELSON C. HART, P.G.M.,  
Chairman.

## Fraternal Correspondence and Reviews

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### ALABAMA—1958

138th Annual Communication—November 18-19.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Eely Elbert Jackson.

Lodges, 436.      Membership, 75,431.      Gain, 519.

The Annual Communication was held in Montgomery, Alabama, and actually commenced on the evening of November 17th when guests were entertained at the Whitley Hotel. Prior to the opening of Grand Lodge on November 18th, the Grand Master introduced officers and members of the Order of the Eastern Star. Addresses were given by the Worthy Grand Matron and by the Worthy Grand Patron.

The Grand Master welcomed the distinguished guests and quoted from "The Builders" by Dr. J. Fort Newton, on "When is a Man a Mason?" During the year he constituted one Lodge and dedicated two, laid three corner-stones, and issued many dispensations for a variety of purposes. The Grand Master must approve mortgage of properties, change of meeting place temporarily, sale of property, holding of elections and several other duties.

During the year some 114 fifty-year buttons were presented. Ten pages of the Proceedings are filled with the list of the Grand Master's visits, indicating a very busy year.

The Grand Orator, R.W. Bro. Judge T. Simpson, delivered a masterly address on "The Constitution and our Liberties". He claimed the keystone of Masonry to be liberty-freedom, and deplored the restriction of liberties by the Federal Government. In conclusion he urged Masons to "labour" to prevent loss of individual freedom.

Bro. R. G. Waldrop, Grand Representative of the Grand Lodge of Canada was in attendance.

The Grand Treasurer reported an increase of over \$66,112.00 in Cash and Bonds during the year. The Alabama Masonic Home showed a surplus of \$1,416,691.71. There were 113 persons occupying the Home.

Bro. Walter M. Whiting reported for the Committee of Foreign Correspondence, his comments occupying some three pages. No changes during the year had altered relationships of Alabama with other Grand Jurisdictions. The Committee deplored the prevalence of fanaticism and intolerance in several parts of the world.

Robert R. Berryman was elected and installed as Grand Master for the ensuing year. A brief biography of the new Grand Master serves as the foreword for the Proceedings.

### ALBERTA—1958

53rd Annual Communication—June 11-12.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Samuel G. Bannan.

Lodges, 166.      Membership, 18,356.      Gain, 307.

The Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Alberta, held in Edmonton, was quite well attended. The Grand Representative of Canada in Ontario, M.W. Bro. F. P. Galbraith of Red Deer, was present.

The Grand Master visited all the districts except one, attended some eight Lodges which celebrated fifty anniversaries, and conducted two institutions and two consecrations, and laid one cornerstone. He was pleased with the Washington and Banff Conferences and the Communications of neighboring Grand Lodges.

The Grand Master's opinion of the increase in membership is indicated by this quotation.

*"The Lodge notices which reach me certainly indicate a growing interest in the Craft albeit that interest*

*is not reflected in the record of attendance in the larger lodges. But that complaint is not new; it prevades all our annual journals.*

*"In some Lodges, a monotonous stream of five candidates, the maximum permitted, is disclosed. I use the adjective advisedly because I question the wisdom of adding to an already over-loaded roster where the members surely cannot have the opportunity of becoming acquainted, much less having a reasonable chance of advancement, and particularly where attendance is at a very low ebb, notwithstanding the tearful entreaties of the Master that the situation be improved."*

M.W. Bro. S. Harris resigned the editorship of the Grand Lodge Bulletin and was succeeded by M.W. Bro. Carl Heckbert.

R.W. Bro. E. H. Rivers, the Grand Secretary, issues very complete statistics on membership, arranges the memorial pages and the various reports quite attractively. The proceedings are printed in excellent readable type on unusually good paper. He reports the presentation of some 34 fifty-year jewels and two sixty-year bars. Public Liability Insurance has been renewed for three years.

The Benevolent Fund Capital Account amounts to \$302,037.48 and the Relief Fund Surplus to \$56,324.28. The receipts of Grand Lodge in the General Fund were \$56,821.90, and after all disbursements there was a balance of \$7,191.24.

The Committee on Foreign Relations recommended recognition of the Grand Lodge of Israel, but deferred action on Japan, Occidental de Colombia, Egypt and Denmark. Some 50 pages are devoted to Reviews.

The address at the evening banquet was given by Bro. Mr. Justice Marshall M. Porter. In dealing with Masonry he said many things worth quoting.

*"I want to talk to you tonight, as I think this fits the occasion, just for a few minutes about Masonry. In*

*my judgment it has never had the challenge facing it today. It has never had such opportunities to use the tools on which it is founded to meet that challenge. A Mason believes that in his perishable frame there is a spirit that with the help of God can crush the King of Terror. Masonry is for free men, that is the first requisite, the first thing you are asked, the first condition of your right to enter. . . .*

*"We are faced today with despotism of legislation. We ought to do something about it. I suppose some of you are rather startled when you hear me say that. I can understand that, because the invasion of our rights and liberty and property, which is going on in legislation today is not known to us in the masses but comes to us in an individual experience. It happens to us before we know that it can. . . .*

*"Gentlemen, we have a great heritage which we have undertaken with one another to preserve and dignify the individual to the end that he may find Peace and Salvation. We do not have all the rules but we have Signs, Tokens and Symbols which we use in the Temple we are building to preserve the individual that he may find Peace and Salvation. I suggest to you that we turn to the task while it is yet day. I remind you that the man you represented in your initiation did not compromise."*

M.W. Bro. Donald D. McQueen, Vulcan, Alberta was elected and installed as Grand Master for the ensuing year.

### ARGENTINA—1958

100th Annual Assembly—June 24, 1957.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Dr. Agustin J. Alvarez.

The only additional information about the Grand Lodge of Argentina, since the report in last year's proceedings, is in a copy of the publication "Simbolo" covering October to December, 1957. This magazine is

issued three times annually and this copy completes the year 1957.

One section of each issue is devoted to the Lodges of Argentina and another to outside Grand Jurisdictions. Alberta and Prince Edward Island are the only Canadian jurisdictions that are mentioned.

At the 100th Assembly the Grand Secretary reported an increase of 803 members. One article in "Simbolo", "En La Exposicion Del 'Triangulo de las Virtudes Masonicas'" apparently discusses the fundamental principles of Freemasonry.

It has been frequently reported that adherence to a belief in a Supreme Being is not universal in Grand Jurisdictions in South America, but progress towards uniformity was made last year.

## ARIZONA—1958

76th Annual Communication—April 28-29.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Gerald I. Craig.

Lodges, 51 (1 U.D.) Membership, 11,448. Gain, 349.

Six Special and one Emergent Communications were held during the year, including two Constitutions, three layings of cornerstones, one funeral service and one celebration of a 75th Anniversary.

The Grand Master mentioned several visitations, decisions and recommendations. He was pleased with Masonry in Arizona as the following quotation indicates.

*"I am happy to report that the general condition of the Craft is good. It is true that percentage wise we do not have the members that we should have, but those that we do have are good men. I have found the leadership to be in experienced hands, and though some of our Lodges may have suffered by losing vital officers, yet their grit and enthusiasm will assure their success."*

The Grand Master visited individually or collectively all the Lodges in Arizona. He presented several awards for twenty-five and fifty years' service in the Craft. He ruled that a member with plural membership has equal standing and privileges in all Lodges in which he holds membership, and may withdraw from any, retaining his status in the others.

For purposes of Relief \$1,425.14 was collected and \$935.81 was expended for eleven cases.

Grand Lodge has been studying a proper Funeral Service and submitted a ritual to be used for public presentation. The proposed ritual was laid over for further study.

The Grand Lodge approves and supports the Order of DeMolay. The recipients of scholarships are reported to have benefitted greatly from this generosity.

The Balance Sheet for the year showed \$79,078.14 in the General Fund, and \$549,411.28 in various Trust Funds.

In Arizona, as in many other Jurisdictions in the United States, an annual Public Schools' week is held. The week is proclaimed by the Governor of Arizona and every citizen is expected to visit a public school "and become personally acquainted with the work and activities of our Public School System". A Grand Lodge Committee conducts an Essay Contest and all Lodges are urged to support the venture by the establishment of a permanent "Public Schools Committee."

The Committee on Fraternal Correspondence noted varying percentages of increases in many Grand Jurisdictions and losses in a few. The problem of poor attendance was mentioned and some remedies suggested, such as opening the Lodge on time, snappy meetings, carefully arranged programmes, and closing on time.

It was decided to secure permanent quarters for the Grand Secretary in the Phoenix Masonic Temple.

Ronald C. Nicholson was elected and installed as the Most Worshipful Grand Master.

**ARKANSAS—1958**

117th Annual Communication—November 18-19.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Garland M. Hughes.  
Lodges, 380.      Membership, 56,145.      Net Loss, 203.

The Grand Lodge conducted nine emergent communications, one for Constituting a Lodge, five for dedications, and three for laying cornerstones. Despite the loss in membership the Lodges had been fairly busy but candidates had not been as abundant as in some previous years.

Among the Grand Representatives present, M.W. Bro. L. M. Greene answered the roll call for Canada in Ontario. Some 320 Lodges were represented by 488 members.

The Grand Master's address covers some twenty pages of the proceedings, and gives considerable detail of his year's activities. He was not particularly impressed with out-door Lodge meetings and considered that there was some lack of enthusiasm in the membership. His motto was "Learn as if to live forever, live as if to die to-morrow." He paid fitting tribute to deceased brethren mentioning especially R.W. Bro. Walter H. Estes, Deputy Grand Master. He lists some 115 visitations he made to functions in Arkansas and that the Grand Lodge was represented at five communications of other Grand Lodges and at the Conference of Grand Masters at Washington, D.C.

The Grand Master was asked to decide the following question.

*"At a stated meeting, if there are seven brothers present, they must open from the Entered Apprentice degree; if only five, they must open up from the Fellow-craft degree; but if only three, they must open in the Master's degree, and they cannot do anything in the*

*Entered Apprentice or Fellowcraft Degrees." Must these be members of the Lodge?*

The Grand Master answered in the affirmative. However, in Ontario no Lodge can be opened unless there are at least seven brethren present.

The Grand Master was unfavourable to membership in the Masonic Service Association but commended the programme of the Southwest Conference on Masonic Education. He was opposed to Dual Membership largely because of the confusion caused to the Grand Secretary.

Eighty-three fifty-year buttons were presented during the year.

The Grand Treasurer reported receipts plus bank balance at \$140,249.58, and total disbursements of \$93,217.95.

The proceedings close with reports from the Arkansas Research Lodge. Roland E. Darrow, W.M. has an article on "The Holy Scripture for the three Degrees"; John L. Durrett, P.M. writes on "Secrets of Freemasonry"; E. Eugene Smith, P.G.M. contributes a powerful treatise on "Freemasonry and the Church"; Francis J. Scully, P.G.M., discusses the "Anti-Masonic Movement in Louisiana". Other articles are "The Meaning of the Fellowcraft Degree" and "Masonry and the Great Religions."

## BRITISH COLUMBIA—1958

87th Annual Communication—June 19-20.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Claude A. Green.

Lodges, 157 (3 U.D.) Membership, 25,481. Gain, 510.

At the opening of the communication of Grand Lodge, the Grand Master introduced the Grand Chaplain, Bro. Rev. A. E. Hendy who delivered a short address

on "The Achievement of the Good Life," He referred to three prayers in the Bible:—first, Moses' prayer for guidance and that "God would show him His Glory;" second, the prayer of Job, "Make me to know my transgressions and my sins"; and third the prayer of the Psalmist, "Teach me to do Thy Will".

The Grand Master's address is a concise, yet comprehensive account of his year's Masonic activities. He made 41 official visits including the Banff Conference of the Western and Prairie Grand Lodges of Canada. Special paragraphs are devoted to several of these Masonic events. Dispensations for the Institutions of two new Lodges were granted.

Praise was given to R.W. Bro. M. A. R. Howard and his committee for their work in producing the "Masonic Bulletin", "now recognized as being one of the outstanding Masonic publications of its kind. . ." Victoria has a Lodge of Education and Research and Vancouver a Lodge of Instruction, Education and Research, both of which are doing excellent work.

During the roll call M.W. Bro. G. C. Derby answered for the Grand Lodge of Canada, in the Province of Ontario.

The Grand Lodge had a Balance and Receipts of \$83,097.45 which when disbursements were deducted left a Balance in the Bank of \$34, 570.14. The Benevolent Fund amounts to \$730,570.06. The relief paid on the orders of the Benevolent Committee was \$11,511.00. The Grand Lodge also has a Veterans' Fund of \$45,130.27.

The reports of the 24 District Deputy Grand Masters cover some 36 pages.

The Committee on Fraternal Correspondence reviewed the proceedings of sixty-five Grand Jurisdictions, nine of which showed a loss in membership. The report is a general summary occupying slightly over one page, and 86 pages devoted to the individual consideration of Grand Jurisdictions.

The Grand Lodge adopted the report of the Committee recommending the institution of the "Order of Meritorious Service" which is to be limited to ten brethren.

R.W. Bro. Kenneth Reid was elected and installed as Grand Master for the ensuing year.

## CALIFORNIA—1958

109th Annual Communication—Sept. 29 to Oct. 3.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Eo E. Anderson.

Lodges, 682.      Membership, 237,654.      Gain, 3,553.

This annual meeting of the Grand Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons of California is also denominated the Dedication Communication,—in reference to the ceremony of dedicating the New California Masonic Memorial Temple, located in San Francisco. During the ceremony, Past Grand Master Edward H. Siems reviewed the history of the Memorial Temple, and requested the Grand Master to dedicate it "according to ancient form and usage."

Distinguished guests from England, Scotland, France, Philippines, El Salvador, the various provinces in Canada, and many of the Grand Lodges of the United States were present. In most instances the Grand Masters or Past Grand Masters represented their respective Grand Lodges. Among these were The Right Honorable the Earl of Scarbrough (England), The Right Honorable the Earl of Elgin and Kincardin (Scotland) and M.W. Bro. Harry L. Martyn, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Canada, in the Province of Ontario. The latter was accompanied by R.W. Bro. E. G. Dixon, Grand Secretary.

Many of these guests addressed the Grand Lodge and several made noteworthy presentations. The Earl of Scarbrough outlined some of the activities of the United Grand Lodge of England and presented, on

behalf of his Grand Lodge a silver and crystal ink stand made in 1783. Other gifts were from such foreign Grand Lodges as Scotland, Philippines, El Salvador, Alberta, Denmark and Czechoslovakia.

The Grand Secretary reported that a veteran Mason in the home at Decoto had received his 75-year pin. A membership analysis showed that in 1957 and 1958, 31% and 41% of the members were in the 30 to 39 age group; the next higher percentage coming in the 40 to 49 group. Occupations represented Skilled Craftsmen, Executive, Sales and Clerical, and Professional in order of relative percentages. Five new Lodges were formed during the year. The schedule of fees for degrees showed 102 Lodges paying \$50.00; 189 paying \$75.00; 201 paying \$100.00; 72 paying \$125.00; and two at a maximum of \$215.00. The Annual Dues ranged from \$12.00 to \$25.00 with the average being \$14.45.

The Grand Secretary lists the members who have received 50-year buttons on some nine pages of the proceedings, a total of over 500 veterans.

The Grand Treasurer reported Capital Receipts, including Loans and Capital Gains to be \$4,501,903.02, and total expenses \$1,383,733.61. The Treasurer commented upon the decrease of the purchasing power of the dollar during the past 25 years and believed that Grand Lodge should recognize that fact.

The Masonic Homes Endowment Board reported the total Endowment Fund to be \$8,163,258.55; the income from which was \$313,658. This amount falls far short of the operating expenses of \$715,613.00. Contributions of \$42,633.62 were made by 81,686 brethren, about 35% of the membership. Wills and Bequests through the Lodges contributed \$78,913.77. Some 365 Lodges donated \$2.00 per member and thereby achieved the Honor Roll.

The Committee on Commercialism condemned some of the activities of the Shrine and the Sciohs. It is illegal for a Mason to belong to the Order of Caritas

and Amaranth Foundation, Inc. This was ignored by several who were tried and found guilty of unmasonic conduct. A number of bodies are listed as requiring Masonic membership, affiliation or sponsorship and are subject to the jurisdiction of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of California. Regulations governing the activities of these groups are published.

The Grand Orator, Melvin A. Pixley, delivered a powerful address entitled, "Proper Communications—The Answer." The following paragraph provides a portion of his advice.

*"What are those decalogues that will aid and assist mankind to find happiness? First, we know that man must recognize that 'God is eternal, omnipotent, immutable wisdom, supreme intelligence and exhaustless love; next, 'Our religion shall be to do good because it is a pleasure and not because it is a duty; we have been taught and must prove to the world that 'We shall unceasingly war against vice and injustice; as a part of our lives 'We shall honor our parents and the aged, instructing and protecting the young and innocent; in all our acts 'We shall cherish our wives and children, loving our country and obeying its laws; by our conduct we should prove that 'Our friends shall be to us a second self; and 'We shall allow no passion to become our master; eighth and of vital importance 'We shall forget our injuries, rendering good for evil, not mis-using strength, position or superiority; and last, 'We shall study to know men that thereby we may properly learn to know ourselves, seeking virtue and avoiding idleness.'*

The Proceedings contain many interesting reports of Committees on various matters which the Grand Lodge of Canada in Ontario does not seriously consider, including Research, Public Schools, Cemeteries, Club Houses, Visual Aids and Scholarships. These reports occupy several pages of the Proceedings.

The Committee on Recognition of Foreign Grand Lodges reported favourably on Grand Lodge, Valle de Canca, Coli, Colombia.

R.W. Phil N. Myers was nominated, elected and installed as the ensuing Grand Master.

**CHILE—1958**

Not many publications on Masonry appear to be available from the Grand Lodges of South America. One, entitled "*Revista Masonica de Chile*", Vol. xxxv, March and April, 1958, contains much information recorded in the Spanish language. Although published by the Grand Lodges of Chile, it contains comments on Masonry in most parts of South America.

Considerable space has been devoted to reports and problems considered at various *Inter-American Conferences of Symbolic Freemasonry*. These have been held in Montevideo, Mexico, Havana and Chile. Other Grand Lodges which have been present on various occasions include Uruguay, Argentina, Bolivia, Peru, Brazil (Rio de Janeiro and San Pabla) and Colombia.

These conferences appear to have discussed common bases for the various Grand Lodges which were represented. Four General Principles seem to have met with approval,—recognition of individual beliefs, no differentiation because of race and nationality, recognition of the Great Architect of the Universe, and acceptance of the three fundamentals, liberty, equality and fraternity.

The magazine contains many illustrations, Grand Masters, Grand Secretaries and prominent Masons. An article by M.W. Bro. Ray V. Denslow on *The Inter-American Confederation Masonic* appears in both Spanish and English. It is an interesting treatment of Masonry in Latin-American Countries. The following quotation indicates a solution for consideration.

*"We believe the Inter-American Conference has a mission in the Masonic World; it has its deficiencies, its troubles, and antagonists. But it offers the only, and best plan for the union of the Americas. They are best able to judge of their own Latin-American conditions, for their problems are practically identical. We may be assured that the irregulars, if such there be, will ultimately be weeded out; it is their sole opportunity of working together—and working together is essential to attain*

unity. *Language barriers have prevented a proper understanding of their problems in the Anglo-Saxon world.*

*"The Association offers a solution to the problem of regularity; if it sincerely strives to carry out its objectives, the irregular groups will disappear from the Masonic scene."*

The issue for May and June, 1958, gives a rather complete account of the Fourth "Conferencia," held in Santiago, Chile, April 14th to 20th. Representatives were present from Mexico, (Six Grand Lodges), Cuba, Dominican Republic, Haiti, Puerto Rico, Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Panama, Brazil (2 Grand Lodges), Colombia (2 Grand Lodges), Ecuador, Venezuela, Argentina, Bolivia, Chile, Peru and Uruguay. Observers were from Gran Orient de Belgica, Gran Oriente Espanol en Exilio, and Gran Orient de Italia.

During the meeting most of the representatives of the various Grand Lodges, usually the Grand Masters, spoke. The ceremonies closed with a banquet. During discussions there appeared to be considerable reference to politics and religion.

## COLORADO—1958

97th Annual Communication—January 28-29.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. D. Aubrey Spann.

Lodges, 158.      Membership, 46,287.      Gain, 449.

During the year the Grand Lodge of Colorado conducted ten special communications.—six for dedications, three for laying cornerstones and one for the funeral of a Past Grand Master. M.W. Bro. D. Aubrey Spann presided at all these ceremonies.

The Committee on Credentials reported 152 Lodges present, the average representation being three per Lodge.

Deceased Past Grand Masters were acknowledged by a moment of silence and prayer by the Grand Chaplain.

The Grand Master reported a busy and interesting year. He granted 67 dispensations and refused two; approved 34 by-laws; made 76 visits in Colorado and 13 at outside affairs. He called attention to the following section of the Constitution on Indebtedness.

*"You should not construct, lease, or purchase a building or hall or incur an indebtedness of more than ten dollars per capita without the permission of the Grand Lodge or the Grand Master."*

He ruled that a violation of Section 87 on voting could place a brother subject to trial for unmasonic conduct. The Section reads;—

*"A majority of all the votes cast at an election of an officer of a Lodge shall be necessary to elect. The voting shall be by written ballots. No one shall solicit votes for himself or another for any office, no nomination for any office shall be made, and no officer shall be elected by motion or resolution."*

The Grand Master made two recommendations relative to the Benevolent Funds.

a. *"That the trustees of the Benevolent Funds be given the approval of the Grand Lodge to employ the necessary help to have the various funds examined as to how they came into being, either by money from Grand Lodge, cash or estate gifts and bequests, and if deemed proper, to find just how their expenditures are circumscribed. The expense of this to be considered as a cost of the administration of such funds."*

b. *"That the trustees of the Benevolent Funds be authorized to employ a Master Mason as full time secretary when they consider such to be advisable."*

The cash and securities for 1957 amounted to \$914,429.50 in the Investment Fund. The disbursements in the General Relief Fund were over Forty-seven Thousand Five Hundred Dollars. The Grand Lodge has several special funds for Relief and Education.

The Grand Orator, Bro. Humber Rees, chose "What Makes You a Mason?" as the title of his address to Grand Lodge. He claimed that there were three essential qualities required to make a Mason.

*"This is my belief: that there are three essential elements of the Masonic Character: to desire the good, to seek the light, to believe in God. Lack any of these, and whatever your rank or titles, however great the honors you may bear, I shall not name you Mason. Possess them all in full measure, and whether your hand be smooth and well-groomed or caloused and careworn, I shall be proud to grasp it and call you brother."*

The Committee on Correspondence, under the Chairmanship of Bro. C. Wheeler Barnes, reported friendly relations with 48 Grand Lodges in the United States and 69 foreign Grand Lodges. A few general opinions are reported in some four pages. The Committee recommended recognition of the Grand Lodge Occidental de Colombia, Oriente de Cali, and of the Grand Lodge of Bahia (Brazil).

One unique and praiseworthy feature of the Proceedings is the inclusion of the picture of the chairman of each standing committee, accompanying the printed report.

Glen B. Van Fleet was elected and installed as Grand Master. He was born in Alamosa, Col., in 1901. He was educated in the local public schools and went to college in Colorado Springs, Col. He became a Mason in 1923 and has been active in Masonry all his life. His father had been Grand Master in 1921.

## CONNECTICUT—1958

170th Annual Communication—April 2-3.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Conrad Hahn.

Lodges, 132.      Membership, 48,131.      Increase, 193.

Five Special and Emergent Communications, three for dedication of temples, and two for laying cornerstones, were held in addition to the Annual Meeting.

The Proceedings devote some twenty-four pages to the Grand Master's address. In the opening paragraphs M.W. Bro. Hahn emphasized the "Brotherhood of Man" as "the spirit of our great purpose". Reference to deceased brethren is entitled "The Draped Altar." Beautiful ritualistic work was commended, but those who become unduly rigorous and vigorous received a word of criticism.

The Grand Master disapproved of the use of candidate's initiation fees for current operating expenses—a decision which will be approved by the Grand Lodges of Canada. During the year Comprehensive Organizations Liability Insurance Policy was put into force and covers all Lodges and Masons in the State. M.W. Bro. Hahn refused to be drawn into the "bus bill" controversy—permitting the 169 communities of the State to decide whether or not it was to provide transportation for private school students at public expense. He also indicates some of the demands of Freemasonry.

*"Freemasonry has obligated us to search for universals. It raises no political banners; it charts no detailed course of action that we must follow in our civic duties. Freemasonry does encourage us to be free men,—to act as individual conscience and conviction persuade us. But as an organization, our fraternity demands only an adherence to the great universal principles of reverence for Deity, love for our fellow-man, universal benevolence, and respect for truth and wisdom. So mote it be!"*

The use of reserves for various expenses was criticized by the Grand Master.

*"When a lodge reports a deficit in its financial operations for the last year or two, it should realize that the 'storm warnings' are flying, even though such shortages have been made good by using a part of the lodge's capital reserves.*

*"When a Lodge uses Capital reserves or trust funds to pay for entertainments or parties, it is treading on the quicksands of dubious financial responsibility."*

The Grand Master urged that the Chaplain should kneel at the altar when he offers prayer to the Supreme Being.

He claimed that one of the great functions of Masonry was to inculcate moral virtues, and condemned all forms of gambling.

*"Masons should always remember that our fraternity has long objected to lotteries and games of chance, not merely on legal, but primarily on moral grounds. If Freemasonry sincerely 'aims to enliven the spirit of philanthropy, and to promote the cause of charity,' it must keep pure the spirit of joy in giving, the noblest fulfilment of a Master Mason's promise to help, aid and assist."*

The Grand Secretary reported that 158 fifty-year buttons were presented. The Masonic Charity Foundation reported receipts of \$364,569.21. Of this sum \$282,362.00 was raised by the Six Dollar contribution per member. The Secretary expended \$312,726.00 for the Charity Foundation. There were 165 in the Home and 128 in the Hospital during the year, and some 15 received care outside. The per capita cost for the Home was \$5.88 and for the Hospital \$9.62.

Albert H. Ruwet was elected and installed as Grand Master for the ensuing year. A biography included in the Proceedings indicates that he has had a long and varied interest in Masonry.

## DELAWARE—1958

153rd, Annual Communication—October 1-2.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Harrison Phillips.

Lodges, 24.      Membership, 8,401.      Gain, 111.

The Committee on Credentials reported that all twenty-four Lodges were represented by 51 members. The total attendance of the Grand Lodge meeting was 239.

From the Grand Master's Address many helpful quotations might be taken. The following is typical,—

*"It is my firm belief that Free Masonry's present need, and in fact the paramount need of humanity of our time, is a general uplifting of morality. What is the best contribution that the Masonic Fraternity can make toward this movement? I believe that Free Masons must first instill within ourselves the duty of personal, moral improvement so that we may live as good examples to the rest of the world."*

The Grand Master paid fitting tribute to the Fraternal Dead, and listed dispensations granted and many visits made. Twenty-nine members qualified for the Fifty Year Pins. M.W. Bro. Phillips spoke highly of their Masonic Home and dedicated an addition to it. Grand Lodge Masonic Home Day is celebrated annually, and is normally well attended. The Grand Master closed his address by quoting a poem entitled,—"I Knelt Where Hiram Knelt." Forty guests were in the Home during the year. The average expended per day was \$5.55.

The Grand Treasurer announced a balance of over \$15,762.00 at the beginning of the year and some \$14,573.00 at the end. The Lodge securities are \$47,215.34. The Charity Fund contains \$7,491.73. During the year four students were assisted in Universities or Colleges from the Memorial Scholarships funds, which are available in the amount of \$4,624.98.

The Grand Instructor and two of his Assistants reported progress in Ritual work.

The Committee on Foreign Correspondence recommended that requests for recognition be approved for Gran Logia de Santa Caterina, in Brazil; Grand Lodge of Japan; and Gran Logia Occidental de Colombia at Cali.

The Committee on Necrology listed several Past Grand Officers from various Grand Jurisdictions and conducted a fitting Memorial Service.

Charles W. Lewis was elected and installed as Grand Master for the ensuing year.

The History and Research Committee made an interesting report on "Masonic Duels". The charge of the Master of the Lodge to the participants was forceful and fitting.

Some thirty pages are given to Reviews of other Grand Jurisdictions by W. Stewart Allmond, P.G.M. and he concluded his report by referring to the various Grand Jurisdictions in Canada. He quoted a paragraph from the address of M.W. Bro. W. L. Wright, which begins "What of the Future?"

### DENMARK—1957-1958

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Georg Hansen.

Two communications from the Grand Lodge of Denmark were forwarded during the year,—one the annual report of the Grand Master, and the other, an announcement by the new Grand Master, M.W. Bro. Einer Carlson, of Officers and Committees of Grand Lodge for 1958-1959. Both items of correspondence are printed in English.

Grand Master, Georg Hansen, mentioned such factors as:

*"Changes in numbers of members, the internal work within the fraternity, the external work, economic developments and results of work within the joint working groups."*

Membership had increased but not to such an extent as in the previous year; financial developments progressed in a most reassuring manner; and the journal "Frimureren" continued to be of a higher character.

Grand Lodge Officers consecrated the New Temple at Viborg, a project which was highly commended especially in view of the fairly recent establishment of the

Lodge there. The Grand Master complimented the Lodges in Copenhagen for their endeavours to procure larger and better Lodge premises.

He concluded his report in the hope that Masonic work in the Lodges would continue along well established lines for the well-being and growth of Grand Lodge.

### DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA—1957

147th Annual Communication—December 18.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Ray Baker Harris,  
Lodges, 48.      Membership, 24,473.      Loss, 414.

A brief biographical sketch of the Grand Master precedes the chronological records of various meetings of the Grand Lodge. Stated and Special Communications occupy about the first forty pages.

In commenting on the loss in membership for the fourth consecutive year in the District of Columbia, the Grand Secretary claimed it was largely due to shifts of portions of the population to Maryland and Virginia.

The Special Committee, appointed to prepare a memorial to the late M.W. Bro. Carl H. Claudy, submitted a very excellent report and the Secretary was authorized to edit 250 copies for distribution.

The Committee on Jurisprudence recommended that the request of High Twelve International to establish a subordinate luncheon club in the District of Columbia be denied.

Recognition, with exchange of Grand Representatives, of the Grand Lodge of Tamaulipas and Grand Lodge of Nuevo Leon (both of Mexico) was recommended.

The Grand Lodge is represented by three members on the Board of Directors of the Masonic and Eastern

Star Home. There are 132 guests in the home all sponsored by Lodges and Chapters. The construction of a building to connect the Main Building and the Infirmary is under consideration.

The Grand Master gave thoughtful attention to many problems in his address. Speaking of decreases in membership, several quotations might be cited.

*"If we must adjust our Masonry in the District of Columbia to fewer members, we had best get to it; and fewer numbers could even be made to mean a more personal, vital and enthusiastic Masonry than we have ever had before. Our problem is serious. It is not yet critical, nor likely to become so in the immediate future. Time is still on our side."*

*"Fewer members would be no great problem itself. The difficulty in these days is primarily economic. Rents and all the other expenses connected with the operation of a lodge, particularly a city lodge, may easily become prohibitive. The jurisdiction as a whole has long-standing commitments in the maintenance of our Grand Lodge Temple, in the support of our Masonic and Eastern Star Home, which decreasing total membership will make more difficult. These are the problems to which we must dedicate ourselves."*

Thirteen pins for 50-year membership were presented on behalf of other Jurisdictions, and some 51 were given to local members during the year.

At the St. John's Day Communication, William H. Rohrman was elected and installed as Grand Master.

The use of amplifying equipment in the conferring of degrees was considered unnecessary and often inconvenient.

Bro. J. Williamson Cook reported on Correspondence in some 65 pages, giving about a page to Canada in Ontario. There is a fine quotation from the address of M.W. Bro. (Rev.) W. L. Wright.

## ENGLAND—1958

## Quarterly Communications

Grand Master—M.W. Rt. Hon. the Earl of Scarbrough,  
K.G., G.S.C.I., G. C.I.E., G.C.V.O., T.D.

The United Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of England meets quarterly in March, June, September and December, and holds an Annual Investiture on or about April 30th. As the Grand Master usually retains his office during his life-time, the election and installation occurs only occasionally.

In 1958 the Earl of Scarbrough was proclaimed to be Grand Master by the Director of Ceremonies. The Grand Master then appointed R.W. Bro. the Earl of Derby, M.C., as Deputy Grand Master and R.W. Bro. Sir Allan Adair as Assistant Grand Master. Then the Grand Secretary, W. Bro. James Stubbs, announced the names of newly-appointed Grand Officers and various promotions. Prior to the Investiture ceremonies the Grand Master paid a tribute to the late Grand Secretary, R.W. Bro. Sir Sydney White, from which the following paragraph is quoted:—

*‘Sydney White served Freemasonry, in the broadest sense, with great devotion for the greater part of his life. I think his service can quite simply be spoken of as of two kinds: his work, which was scrupulous, able and unremitting; and his example, which made so many of us think of him as the kind of man a Freemason should be, a man of integrity and of great kindness towards his fellows. By his work and his example he helped a great deal to keep the standard of Freemasonry high in the Grand Lodge of England, and I think you all know that his influence was recognized in many parts of the Masonic world.’*

The business of Quarterly Meetings is submitted largely by the Board of General Purposes and the Board of Benevolence. At the March Communication the Grand Master and several other Grand Officers were re-elected and proclaimed. The Board of General

Purposes called attention to the publication of "Points of Procedure" in the last few pages of the Masonic Year Book. The United Grand Lodge showed a registry of 6,831 Lodges,—1,604 in London, 4,411 Provincial and 816 District and Abroad in 1957. Certificates issued for the year were 17,575 at Freemasons' Hall and 2,803 by District Grand Masters. Benevolent grants amounted to £16,100.

At the June meeting the Board of Benevolence reported meetings for the relief of 126 petitioners to whom grants of £13,785 were given. Tributes were paid to the late Secretary, and the Library and Museum were mentioned. The Library contains about 20,000 volumes many of which are of great value. Special exhibitions are held from time to time.

At the September Quarterly the Board of Benevolence approved grants of £13,275 to 117 petitioners. The Board of General Purposes reported that the Trustees of the Prestonian Fund had appointed W. Bro. Rev. J. S. Purvis, O.B.E., M.A., D.D., (Cantab), F.S.A., P.M., as Prestonian Lecturer for 1958. Ernest H. Cooper, President of the Board announced that the Grand Master, Sir Allan Adair, and the Grand Secretary would go to America to attend the opening ceremonies for the new Masonic Temple in California.

At the December Quarterly, The Grand Master, Rt. Hon. the Earl of Scarbrough, reported on the visit of the Masonic Mission to California to participate in the Dedication of the new Temple. The proceedings conclude with the address which the Grand Master made to the Grand Lodge of California.

## FLORIDA—1958

129th Annual Communication—April 15-17.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Marcus L. Donaldson.  
Lodges, 274. Membership, 63,831. Gain, 1,866.

The Committee on Credentials reported that 267 Lodges were represented at Grand Lodge, including two Under Dispensation, and 192 visitors were registered.

The Grand Master's address includes appendices listing,—Dispensations Granted, Emergent Communications, Amendments and Revision of By-laws, and District Meetings—indicating a busy year. His Message to the brethren is emphasized in this quotation.

*"My strong belief in God and His many blessings and my firm belief in my fellow man have made this a most harmonious year. ....I am happy to report that good fellowship and brotherly love have prevailed all over this Grand Jurisdiction."*

The Grand Treasurer showed available funds of \$1,353,394.80 and disbursements of \$685,976.96.

The Grand Secretary reported that 28 fifty-year certificates and lapel buttons and 104 twenty-five year certificates had been issued. Over twenty pages are given to various financial funds, among these being the Masonic Home and Masonic Home Endowment Funds. The investments in the latter are \$1,220,385.48 producing a revenue of \$31,333.00.

On the second day several ladies representing the Order of the Eastern Star and the Order of the Rainbow for Girls were received and later the wives of Grand Lodge Officers were presented. After these courtesies labour was resumed.

The report of the Board of Trustees of the Masonic Home of Florida is interesting and complete, showing 120 residents in the Home, and indicating additions to the infirmary and equipment and remodelling of chapel areas. The estimate for the ensuing year is 125 residents.

The Committee on Foreign Correspondence recommended recognition of the Grand Lodge of Colombia at Baranquilla and the Grand Lodge of Japan, but Guatemala was held in abeyance.

The Grand Orator, Bro. Leonard F. Chapman delivered the Annual Oration entitled "The Invisible Bridge". He refers to Masonry in these words,—

*"In a word, Masonry attempts to build a better world. Build, Ah, that is the word. Masons are builders. We built temples, viaducts, forts, castles and cathedrals in the old days. Slowly we changed our emphasis from material things to social, spiritual, ethereal, unseen ones. To use a metaphor, I have thought of Masonry on the whole as an age-long effort to build a bridge—an invisible bridge it is true—but a bridge nevertheless across which we can move against all the troubles and vicious practices that have made mankind so tragically unhappy."*

He then discusses the importance and functions of bridges assisting in the struggles against crime, ignorance, poverty and oppression.

For success in these efforts he makes three suggestions.

*"We march in noble company. High-minded men for three thousand years have been our forebears. . . .*

*"Trivial distractions can be traitors to the high mission of Masonry, for they becloud the shining goal that lies far in the future. . . .*

*"We are not lost in the mass. Although Masonry is world-wide in its scope, we are not asked to lose our identity. Indeed we help the great movement best by becoming strong here in Florida in our own right."*

The report of the Committee on Foreign Correspondence occupies some 58 pages, of which Canada (Province of Ontario) gets one.

M.W. Bro. J. Lewis Hall was elected and installed as Grand Master.

## GEORGIA—1958

172nd Annual Communication—October 28-29.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. John C. Kaufman  
Lodges, 482.      Membership, 99,310.      Gain, 703.

The Grand Master was busy during the year, constituting seven new Lodges, laying seven corner-stones

and presiding at seven dedications. He attended meetings of the "Order of Amaranth", "Order of Eastern Star", "Rainbow for Girls", and "Order of DeMolay", and visited each of the twelve Masonic District Conventions in Georgia.

Under the heading, "The Craft at Labor", the Grand Master enunciates the need and function of Masonry.

*"The oldest manuscript known, reposing in the library at Alexandria, Egypt, begins: 'This is a changing world.' That is certainly true today. Never has there been greater need for understanding among men and never a time for Masons to put their teachings to use. Never a greater opportunity for service to humanity. It was Lord Halifax who said, 'Service is the rent we pay for our room on earth'."*

Some 102 members were presented with Fifty-Year Awards, and the Grand Master is listed as attending to some 285 matters of Masonic business, frequently involving two or more meetings on the same day. He concluded his address by referring to his extensive journeying through Georgia several times emphasizing the theme of his addresses. *"To practice out of the Lodge those great moral precepts taught us within it."*

The Secretary's Summary of Receipts and Disbursements showed Receipts from all sources to be \$205,732.04. The Treasurer showed total receipts of \$342,055.70 and disbursements of \$243,513.31 of which he paid \$26,640.00 to the Masonic Home. The Trustees of the Home report the total Assets and Bonds to be \$249,094.78.

During the year the Masonic Home extended the facilities of the Home to serve an increasing number of dependent children. The Lodges, about 75% of them, have contributed to the support of the Home and Higher Education Fund. The Home controls some 600 acres of land which is over half in timber. The Superintendent of the Home submitted a complete annual report, mention-

ing some of the Farm and other facilities. In addition to this relief, the Board of Relief of the Grand Lodge of Georgia approved 21 Emergency Grants and 14 monthly allowances.

The Committee appointed to study the Home and related problems reported in favour of some consideration for older people.—

*"There is general agreement that older persons should live in their own homes just as long as they can possibly do so in conditions of health and decency. Many people, however, eventually reach the stage where some alternative living arrangement must be made and it is for those people who are Masons or their wives or their widows that we need a Masonic Home for the Aging."*

The Committee on Foreign Correspondence recommended the extension of fraternal recognition to the Grand Lodges of Israel, Greece and China.

Thirty-five pages are allocated to Reviews of other Grand Jurisdictions. Canada (Ontario) receives one half page largely devoted to a quotation from M.W. Bro. Wright's address.

R. M. Vandergriff, Sr., was elected and installed as Grand Master for 1958-1959.

## GERMANY—1958

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Dr. Theodor Vogel

"Die Vereinigte Grossloge" is the official publication of the Grand Lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of Germany. It appears six times every year, each issue covering a period of two months. The Grand Master, Theodor Vogel, is generally responsible for the first message appearing in each issue under the heading, "Meine Lieber Broder!"

The March-April issue has a biography of Johann Caspar Bluntschli, a distinguished Past Grand Master.

covering some four pages followed by excerpts from some of his orations. Some space is devoted to references to other Grand Lodges; and there is reference to Masonic Music by Jan Sibelius. References and articles on Bluntschli continue in the May-June magazine marking particularly the 150th anniversary of the birth of this worthy brother. Considerable space in this issue is devoted to the International Freemason's Congress in Wiesbaden in May, 1958.

In the July-August magazine there is a fine reproduction of the Masonic Hall and some of its rooms in Berlin; and some five pages, devoted to the programme and time-table for the convention and the daily order of business, are included.

The September-October reports include Memorial pages, referring to prominent deceased brethren. The Grand Master opened the meeting in Berlin with a somewhat lengthy but interesting address, chiefly devoted to the work of the Grand Lodge, the condition of Masonry in the country, and the progress made in 1958.

A table shows the gradual increase in recognition of the Grand Lodge of Germany by other Grand Jurisdictions from one in 1948 to 141 in 1958. Eight Grand Lodges in Canada now recognize Germany.

On April 27th, 1958, the United Grand Lodge of Germany issued in the English language, and distributed "The Magna Charta of German Freemasonry, 1958." This publication contains some 12 sections, many with several paragraphs, and states the allegiance, organization, government and various functions of "The United Grand Lodge of Germany, the Brotherhood of German Freemasons".

### ICELAND—1958-59

The Annual Report of the Grand Lodge of Iceland consists of a small book of some 88 pages, forwarded to our Grand Lodge from the Grand Secretary, Freemason's Hall, Borgartium 4, Reykjavik, Iceland. The officers

and committees of Grand Lodge and the members of individual Lodges are listed.

The roll of Grand Lodges and other Masonic organizations with which Iceland is in harmony appears to be rather complete. For Europe the Grand Masters or Senior Officers are mentioned, but for other countries and their Grand Lodges only the Grand Secretaries and the Grand Representatives are recorded. Ross L. Dobbin represents the Grand Lodge of Canada in the Province of Ontario, and Tomas Tomasson serves in Iceland.

Lodges and members are listed in groups named St. Andr. and St. Joh and each group has a distinctive crest. There are no minutes of meetings, and no addresses are reported.

Apparently "Frimurareglan Á Íslandi" is prepared and distributed by the Grand Secretary of Iceland.

## IDAHO—1958

92nd Annual Communication—September 16-18.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Herbert H. Eberle.

Lodges, 84.      Membership, 14,751.      Gain, 163.

A photograph of the Grand Master followed by a brief biography serve to introduce the proceedings of the Grand Lodge of Idaho. The Grand Master has been in the insurance business in Boise since 1935. He has shown great interest in various civic and Masonic activities.

Towards the beginning of his address M.W. Bro. Eberle spoke of the departed brethren in these words,—

*"So the lives of our departed, the words they have spoken, the wounds they healed, and the things they have done remain with us as a blessed heritage and inspiration. They have defeated death and oblivion, because they have lived so completely. Therefore this*

*occasion has a deep and solemn significance to those for whom the final summons has severed intimate, helpful and trusted associations and friendships."*

The Grand Master continued by giving an outline of the many meetings he had attended, the By-laws he had approved, the dispensations he had dealt with, and the rulings he had made. Towards the end of his address he offered this advice to wardens.

*"To be a successful Master, one should begin to prepare himself for that exalted station upon assuming his first Lodge office, and as Junior and Senior Warden his efforts should be redoubled. He should thoroughly familiarize himself with all details of Lodge operation, just as he would familiarize himself with the details of a new business purchased or taken over, thus securing for himself information of vital importance to the proper administration of his Lodge, and without which real success cannot be attained."*

The Committee on Fraternal Relations, with M.W. Bro. Sumner G. Davis as chairman, recommended care in considering applications for recognition especially in reference to Grand Lodges in South America. Only the National Grand Lodge in France is recognized. The new Grand Lodge at Santa Catarina in Brazil was mentioned but more information was awaited before any recommendation would be offered. Fraternal relations with the Grand Lodge of Japan were approved.

The Grand Treasurer reported the receipts for the year at \$78,675.19 and the expenses at \$58,459.17. The favourable balance added to the Cash on Hand at the beginning of the year totalled \$62,351.80. The Cash and Investments labelled "Relief" amounted to \$226,412.56.

The Grand Secretary reported 35 brethren who had become entitled to wear fifty-year lapel buttons; and some 68 recommendations for Certificates for Proficiency for Worshipful Masters had come from the District Deputy Grand Masters.

One of the most interesting features of the proceedings is the report of a Committee appointed by the

Grand Master to review and report on a questionnaire entitled "The Functions of a Masonic Lodge". The Committee's report occupied some seven pages of excellent information and discussion. The following paragraph will serve as a sample.

*"As to the value of Masonry to its members, it is felt that the lack of interest and attendance is more a reflection of the attractiveness of Lodge meetings and a lack of being asked to take part, than a lack of value of Masonry to its members. Masons do not readily give up their membership. There is something in what they have obtained which impels continued membership. With this fundamental value apparently so great, attendance and interest would undoubtedly improve with correction of weaknesses disclosed by the survey such as proficient work, properly planned and executed programs, and other activities."*

Glen W. Royse was elected and installed as Grand Master. The new Grand Secretary is Herbert H. Eberle.

## ILLINOIS—1958

119th Annual Communication—October 10-11.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Harold R. Kopfman.

Lodges, 963. Membership, 246,639. Loss, 2,206.

Among the forty-four visitors was M.W. Bro. Joseph A. Hearn, P.G.M., Grand Lodge of Canada, in the Province of Ontario. Seven Past Grand Masters of Illinois were presented and welcomed.

The Grand Master commented upon his visit to the Conference of Grand Masters, Grand Secretaries' Conference, George Washington National Masonic Memorial and the Masonic Service Association. He recommended a change in their Code, "permitting Lodges to participate in honourable and wholesome activities other than business meetings or degree work on Sundays."

Consolidation was effected between six pairs of Lodges.

The Grand Master commented on the necessity for higher fees. The officers of Grand Lodge met early and adopted a four-point programme.

- “1. (a) *Create social activity*
- (b) *Make lodge meetings more interesting*
- (c) *Clean up lodge hall, paint and repair temples and spruce up temple grounds*
- (d) *Clean garments and paraphernalia*
- 2. *Increase income (raise fees and dues)*
- 3. *Create lodge charity fund*
- 4. *Enlarge Homes Endowment Fund.”*

Most Masons would agree on the importance of these activities. In his address the Grand Master enlarged on these suggestions. The Sullivan Home requires \$500,000 annually for maintenance and the Children’s Home a La Grange about \$250,000. A portion of the cost is raised from a levy of \$2.25 against each member’s annual dues.

The number of Districts in Illinois is 115 and these are divided into seven divisions. The Grand Master was able to visit each Division at least once. The Grand Master closed his address with this admonition.—

*“Let your chief care be the advancement of the society of which you have the honor to be members.”*

One of the high-lights of the Communication was an address by the Grand Orator, R.W. Bro. Harry X. Cole. The following excerpts indicate considerable Masonic philosophy.

*“Masonry demonstrates its greatest glory and fulfills its highest destiny—by instilling moral principles and building sterling character in the individual man.*

*“The search for truth has been one of the chief aims of mankind.*

*“Being a Mason is an honor, an obligation, an opportunity, a challenge and a destiny.*

*"Mary Baker Eddy said, 'Divine Love has always met and always will meet every human need.' Upon this rock, we, as Masons, are privileged to found the inner personal Church of our fraternal edifice.*

*"A nation is more than an artificial creation by which men secure safety and enjoy material prosperity. It is embodiment and expression of the most intimate and sacred emotions of its people."*

The Grand Officers were re-elected.

The review of Masonic Correspondence is under the chairmanship of Bro. Everett L. Lawrence and occupies over 60 pages. Canada (Ontario) is given almost one and one-half pages. There is a kindly reference to our reviews of Illinois.

## INDIANA—1958

136th Annual Communication—May 20-21.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. August J. Sieloff.

Lodges, 546.      Membership, 185,211.      Gain, 595.

The Grand Master died just two days prior to the Annual Communication, and the Deputy Grand Master, Theo J. Jena, presided. Representatives of 531 Lodges were present. Harry L. Martyn, Grand Master, and E. G. Dixon, Grand Secretary, were in attendance representing the Grand Lodge of Canada, in the Province of Ontario. M.W. Bro. Martyn responded to the address of welcome.

The Grand Master's address was read by the Deputy Grand Master. In it there was a feeling reference to deceased brethren and a request for prayer to the Grand Chaplain. The condition of Masonry was quite satisfactory and progress had been made. The report reads,—

*"Disciplinary action has been at a minimum and grievances are practically nil with jurisdiction presenting the only problems and those hardly worth mentioning."*

In 1957 eleven Lodges held Centennial Celebrations, some of which were attended by most Grand Lodge officers. The Grand Master made many visitations in Indiana, laid five cornerstones and dedicated three new temples. He spoke highly of the Grand Masters' Conference, the George Washington Masonic National Memorial and the Masonic Service Association.

The new Nursing Hospital added to the old hospital of the Indiana Masonic Home was highly commended. It was proposed that the maintenance per capita tax be increased from three to four dollars so that the home could be operated at its full capacity of 500.

The Grand Master spoke words of commendation for the Order of the Eastern Star, Order of Rainbow for Girls, Order of Job's Daughters and DeMolay Chapters. He concluded his address with this paragraph.

*"Now, what of the future? I believe the genius of Masonry is that it has lived as an influence for good down through the years because it represents a method of living that is based on those principles of truth and right that we are assured will abide forever. Though we may be discouraged by happenings of our time in the world scene, we should never abandon our faith in the eternal truth that the promises of God are true."*

The Grand Treasurer reported a grand total in all funds of \$1,519,993.88.

The Grand Secretary reports much statistical data and analyzes and compares records. Forty-eight Lodges have memberships under 100, and fifteen exceed 1500, with the majority between 100 and 299. Fees of \$30.00 are paid by 135 Lodges; one pays \$125.00; and eleven pay \$100.00. The lowest annual dues are three dollars (3 Lodges); the highest \$25.00 (1 Lodge); and 208 Lodges pay ten dollars.

The Committee on Foreign Fraternal Relations recommend recognition of the Grand Lodge of the Dominican Republic, Grand Lodge of Japan, Grand Lodge of

Santa Catarina (Brazil), Grand Lodge of Santander (Colombia), Grand Lodge Occidental (Colombia); and withdrawal of recognition of rival Lodges in Sao Paula (Brazil).

The Grand Secretary reviewed Masonry in the United States rather effectively. This report is followed by brief summaries of the proceedings of other Grand Jurisdictions, including Canada in Ontario.

## IOWA—1958

114th Annual Communication—September 18-20.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Glenn A. Foster.

Lodges, 548. Membership, 94,863. Net Loss, 292.

The proceedings report "Public Exercises" prior to the official opening of Grand Lodge. These included,—a thirty-minute recital at the Hammond Organ by Bro. Edward G. Stein; the invocation by the Past Grand Chaplain, presentation of colors, introduction of the Grand Master and his wife and an address of welcome by the Mayor of Davenport. The Deputy Grand Master responded to the Mayor's address and the chairman introduced representatives of the Order of Eastern Star and announced the programme for the ladies. The audience was dismissed by Rev. Bro. Russell K. Johnson, Dean of Trinity Episcopal Cathedral.

The Grand Master's address covers some twelve pages of the proceedings. He remarked that he had visited many Lodges and other Masonic gatherings and was impressed with the interest and enthusiasm displayed by the brethren. This reminder should appeal to any thoughtful Mason.

*"May all of us keep in mind that good men are attracted to Masonry by the manner in which its teachings are reflected in our lives, and that our Order can continue to maintain a healthy growth in no other way."*

He attended the Ritual Instruction in several schools and was highly pleased with the work of District Lecturers and Masonic Instruction. He conducted four dedications and expressed opinions on several questions submitted by various Lodges. One interesting ruling is this,—

*"Held: The Tyler has no right to be relieved of the duties of his office that he may exercise the right to vote, but if he is present in the lodge room he may exercise that right."*

In the Grand Lodge of Canada the Tyler may vote, a substitute assuming his duties for the time he has to vacate his position to enter the Lodge and cast his ballot.

He commented on the distressing low attendance of Lodges at the Annual Communication of Grand Lodge. Over a five-year period, 1950 to 1954 inclusive, 41 Lodges had not been represented, 90 had missed four, 79 were not at three and 310 Lodges missed at least once. Less than 250 Lodges had a perfect attendance. Some improvement has been shown since 1955.

The Grand Secretary also serves as Librarian. He reported on the Fraternal Dead and the Washington Conference. In Iowa conferences of Lodge Secretaries are often held, five being assembled in 1958. He urged the Lodges to make greater use of the Grand Lodge Bulletin. As Librarian he noted that there were 65,000 volumes, and the files showed 1,367 books loaned during the year. The register showed 2,419 visitors from 41 states and 10 foreign countries.

The net cash receipts from dues and fees were \$308,421.60. The fees and dues for Charity funds included \$14,145.42 for benevolence, and \$61,283.28 for the Masonic Sanitarium. From all sources the net paid to the Grand Treasurer was \$540,546.40.

The Committee on Grand Lodge Recognition recommended in favour of recognition for the Grand Lodge of Japan, for the Grand Lodge United of Sao Paulo, but rejected the Grand Lodge of Colombia—Occidental, the

Grand Lodge of France, and the Grand Lodge of Uruguay.

The Library Committee reported some 15 topics on which various brethren had prepared papers and presented them in the 15 districts. Iowa has a Speakers' Bureau, Films and Projectors and Slides. Masonic Education is a major activity of the Grand Lodge of Iowa.

Ray R. Douglass, P.G.M., presented the report of the Committee on Fraternal Reviews. These occupy about 75 pages with Canada receiving one. Considerable attention is given to the opinions expressed by M.W. Bro. Rev. W. L. Wright.

M.W. Bro. C. Dale Cox was elected Grand Master.

## IRELAND—1958

Grand Master M.W. Bro. Raymond Frederick Brooke.

The Grand Lodge of Ireland held an enthusiastic meeting on St. John's Day, 1958, at which the Grand Master was received with enthusiasm and continued applause. He referred briefly to the loss sustained through the death of the Grand Treasurer, R.W. Bro. Jonathan Pim. He reviewed the progress of Masonry in the Jurisdiction and particularly in the local Provincial Grand Lodges.

The Grand Secretary, R.W. Bro. J. O. Harte, reported the re-election of the Grand Master, and the appointment of the various other Grand Lodge Officers. He referred to the selection of a few new Provincial Grand Masters both at home and abroad. Incidentally there are many Provincial Grand Lodges in various parts of the world, all under the supervision of Provincial Grand Masters. In other areas abroad Lodges are under the supervision of Grand Inspectors. Interesting reports from these widely scattered jurisdictions are contained in some 45 pages of the Annual Report.

Under Masonic Benevolent Institutions, the Girls' School, the Boys' School and the Vistoria Jubilee Masonic

Annuity Fund are mentioned. In the Girls' School some 91 pupils are enrolled, and in the Boys' School there are 107 on the roll. About £10,000 were given in Bequests during the year to these benevolent efforts. Subscriptions were over £51,000.

Among the visitors to the Grand Lodge during the year were M.W. Bro. Wm. L. Wright, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Canada, in the Province of Ontario.

The Annual Report concludes by recording various Grand Lodge Officers, Grand Lodges, Grand Representatives, Grand Secretaries, the Grand Treasurer's Report, and a list of the Lodges on the Register of the 10,016 Grand Lodges of Ireland.

### ISRAEL—1958

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. (Dr.) Jona Ron.

The Grand Lodge of the State of Israel publishes a magazine four times annually, each issue in English and Hebrew, under the editorship of Bro. E. Dublinsky. The title of the publication is *Haboneh Hahofshi* (The Freemason).

The Grand Master, Dr. Jona Ron, sends a message to his brethren each quarter. In January he announced his intention to visit Grand Lodges abroad to strengthen the ties of brotherly love. His April report was from New York, and he expressed appreciation of the high esteem in which the Grand Lodge of Israel is held.

In the June issue the Grand Master expresses gratitude to the Grand Secretary and Committees who conducted the business of Grand Lodge so efficiently during his absence. He refers to the building of temples in Jerusalem and Tel Aviv, and of the Parents Home at Nahariya. He also urged encouragement of the Mutual Insurance Fund.

The Grand Master commences his message in the September issue in these words.

*"This day we stand before the New Year Five Thousand Seven Hundred and Nineteen as the people of Isreal count their years, that is, from the Day of Creation (A.M. or A.H.) also the Year of Light (A.L.), as Freemasons calculate in accordance with Masonic tradition.*

*"The Hebrew Nation and the Freemasons, whose doctrines and traditions are closely intermingled, draw encouragement and might for their glorious and just aspirations when a new year begins, a time for soul-searching and repentant meditation.*

*"This spark of hope scintillates before us with the approaching new year, and like a lighthouse, illuminates the darkness of all the days of the year. In these dreadful days, when the chosen leaders of nations are weighing the means that lead to peace and happiness against those leading to war and destruction, let us direct our heart to the Great Architect of the Universe in prayer and hope that He will make them pure in heart, grant them renewed strength, that they may be capable of choosing the good for the whole universe and its inhabitants."*

In the Secreary's report on the 1957 Grand Lodge meeting he deals with the activities of various committees. Israel was then in friendly relations with 89 Grand Lodges, 46 in the U.S.A., 13 in Central America, 12 in South America, 5 in Canada, 9 in Europe, 2 in Australia and one in Asia. The 45 Lodges of the Grand Lodge of Israel had received some 188 new members during the year. The Secretary said in conclusion.

*"Our Order is a large organization, developed and developing, and requires consistent surveillance, vigour, time, work and experience."*

The editor, E. Dublinsky, published a brilliant article on the "The Origins of Freemasonry" in the April magazine. The Grand Almoner, Abraham Fellman has also written several pages on "King Solomon's Temple in Freemasonry."

The July issue of "The Freemason" has a fine report of "Laying the Cornerstone of Additional Wing

to Masonic Parents Home, Nahariya." Only eleven months had elapsed since the Consecration of the original building. R.W. Bro. Jacob Caspi, P.G.M. reported on his visit to England in the September issue, which also contains reviews of the proceedings of some 15 Grand Lodges.

The impression this reviewer had was that the Grand Lodge of Israel was doing careful and very useful Masonic work.

## KANSAS—1958

102nd Annual Communication—March 12-13.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Richard L. Becker.  
Lodges, 439.      Membership, 101,277.      Gain, 16.

The Committee on Credentials reported a total representation of 753 in Grand Lodge including members from 251 Lodges and 57 Grand Representatives.

The address of the Grand Master was an excellent and complete report of his year's service. He emphasized the necessity of an understanding of the meaning of Masonry.

*"Each of us must over and over, again and again, remind ourselves and 'preach' to our brethren the real essence of Masonry. While I wish that every petitioner would seek admission into our ranks only from the loftiest of motives, his reason for coming to us truly matters little. But, I am deeply troubled about the loftiness of the motives of the petitioner after he has been raised upon the five points of fellowship. This is important!"*

*"How long has it been since you did something with or for a brother because he was a Mason? Is Masonry a Fraternity to you? Do you feel that your fellow-Mason is a brother? Are your Masonic obligations a check and an inspiration in daily living? Great is the danger that Masonry, too, may fall victim to the worship*

*of bigness of body to the exclusion of humble striving for bigness of heart. . . .*

*"Masonry is a fraternal organization which admits into its ranks only men who believe in Almighty God, and whom it believes are of good character; and by its ceremonics of initiation and its lectures Masonry instructs its members in good conduct and uprightness of manhood. It keeps secret the exact nature of its ritual and certain grips and signs as means of recognition and to strengthen the spirit of brotherhood."*

He urged readiness to tell a sincere non-Mason what Masonry is, since it has nothing to hide. His most important suggestion was probably,—

*"Live as Masons. Yet, only here, outside the tiled lodge, can we contribute to the growth of Masonry in greatness of heart. Only as each Mason lives his belief in the Fatherhood of God and the Brotherhood of Man can our fraternity stand straight, strong and tall."*

The Kansas Masonic Home is held in high esteem by the Brethren. During the year \$160,000.00 were spent in rebuilding the old infirmary and in adding furnishings. The superintendant's report is full of good advice and encouragement.

*"Masonic Homes should and do give a sense of security. Freedom from worry about the costs of living, sickness, hospitalization, etc. is a tremendous spiritual uplift for those of inadequate resources. The destruction of morale from insecurity can not be fully appreciated by those who have not experienced it. It is indeed inspiring to see this load lifted from the minds of so many as they enter the Home and try to tell us what it means to them."*

The Grand Master's busy year included six layings of cornerstones, four dedications, one institution, one constitution and several visits locally and outside Kansas. He issued some 127 dispensations for various reasons.

Some of the decisions made by the Grand Master are of interest to Ontario Masons.

(1) A brother working for a wholesale liquor company as a 'public relations' man would violate a by-law.

(2) A Lodge could not engage in fund raising projects involving the solicitation of funds from non-Masons even though merchandise or services were being sold.

(3) A Masonic Lodge should not hold a function sponsored by the Lodge on Sunday.

Earl R. Brown was elected and installed as Grand Master.

The Proceedings include a biography sketch of M.W. Bro. R. L. Becker, several pages devoted to Necrology, and about forty-seven pages of reviews of the Proceedings of other Grand Lodges, edited by Floyd S. Ecord, P.G.M. Almost a page is given to Ontario, 1956-57, including quotations from the address of M.W. Bro. Wm. L. Wright.

## KENTUCKY—1957

157th Annual Communication—October 15-17.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. John Wesley Hall.

Lodges, 470.      Membership, 99,598.      Gain, 1,228.

The Proceedings open with an interesting biographical sketch of the Grand Master, who is a member of the transportation department of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company with headquarters at Martin, Kentucky. He has been interested in Masonry since 1939. While serving as Grand Master he travelled some 53,000 miles.

At this Annual Communication twenty-two Past Grand Masters were present, dating back to 1913.

The Grand Master's address was filled with much information and good advice. He was deeply impressed with the permanence of Freemasonry.

*"During these tumultuous times through which we are passing, many people are predicting that the old order of things will be done away with and a new one ushered in. This may be true concerning many institutions and governments not founded on bedrock. Such is not true of Masonry. The evil influence of the ignorant and the suspicions of those who do not understand our ideals have been unable to destroy its sacred treasures of science, philosophy and history, deposited in the minds and hearts of true men. True faith in God leads to love of humanity and the brotherhood of man. Surely an Order founded upon the foregoing lofty principles and stately ideals is like a house builded securely upon a rock. It cannot be swept away or destroyed, but will live forever in the hearts of free men in a free America."*

Kentucky supports two homes, Masonic Widows and Orphans' Home, and Old Mason's Home. The Boards of Directors were commended for their excellent services.

The Grand Master attended the Washington Conference of Grand Masters and responded to the address of welcome. From an excellent oration the following paragraph is selected,—

*"Great tasks and great problems lie ahead of the Freemasons of the world. To enable us to solve these great tasks and great problems, may the Grand Architect of the Universe take us within His arms of protection and shield and defend us from those who would compromise our beloved fraternity. May we be bound together with three-fold cords of brotherly love, enabling us by the memories of our fraternity's glorious past to respond to the call of the present and face the future with courage and devotion to our ancient and honorable institution."*

The Grand Master made many visitations, conducted nine dedications personally and seven by proxy, laid four corner-stones, and dealt with many requests for dedication and information.

His opinion on raffles, lotteries, etc., seems to be sound Masonic reasoning.

*"It is my opinion that the use of gambling devices of any nature, such as raffles, lotteries, punch boards, paddle wheels, spinning jennies, and games of chance of whatsoever nature, for the purpose of obtaining money, or anything of value, and/or the giving away of chances on prizes, is gambling and a violation of the laws of the State, and is therefore a Masonic offense."*

The Grand Treasurer's report showed \$968,122.74 available funds and expenditures of \$572,148.41.

The Grand Secretary reported the awarding of 243 Fifty-Year Masonic Service Buttons and Gold Life Membership Cards.

William O. Ware, a banker was elected and installed as Grand Master for the ensuing Masonic year by his father who had served as Grand Master in 1913.

Charles A. Keith, P.G.M., presented the report of the Committee on Fraternal Correspondence, in which about one page is devoted to each Grand Jurisdiction; He indicates that there are 5,074,092 Masons in the World, an increase of 49,335 for the year. For Canada, in the Province of Ontario, comments are made on the address of the Grand Master, on reports of the Grand Treasurer and the Grand Secretary, and on fraternal reviews.

## LOUISIANA—1958

147th Annual Communication—February 3-4.

Grand Master—Elmer I. Gibson.

Lodges, 269.      Membership, 50,298.      Gain, 784.

The Annual Reports of the Officers of the Grand Lodge of the State of Louisiana for the year ending December 31, 1957, and the Minutes of the First and Second Days of the Annual Communication were circulated about the middle of February.

The opening prayer by Bro. Rev. R. Oliphant, Grand Chaplain set the tone and spirit of the Communication in these words,—

*"As we have entered into the labours of other men, may we so live and serve that others may enjoy the fruits of our labor. Keep us from being content with the merely good and lead us to the better. Help us to forgive one another's faults and share in bearing the burdens as well as the opportunities of our fellowship. By the clarity of our thoughts, by the charity of our judgments, by the breadth of our sympathies, by the patience of our spirits, may we show forth Thy spirit and fill our days with useful service."*

Among the Grand Representatives, Bro. Adam Mehn, New Orleans, answered the roll call for the Grand Lodge of Canada.

The Grand Lodge responded to the great disaster by Hurricane Audrey in the Cameron area on June 27th, 1957, by raising over \$50,500. through its Masonic Relief Committee.

The Grand Master made 54 visits to Lodges, five to other bodies and 19 to special events. The Harrisburg Open Air Meeting (Fort Hill) has been conducted since 1949 with an average attendance of over 1,000 for the eleven meetings.

M.W. Bro. Gibson referred with pride to the Masonic Home for children which had 51 residents. During the year contributions of over \$74,000.00 were solicited for a new Boys' Cottage for older boys. Four Lodges were constituted, three cornerstones were laid, and five Lodge Halls were dedicated. The Grand Master dealt with many requests, dispensations and by-laws and issued six rulings, mostly of local interest. The charter of one Lodge was arrested.

The Committee on Foreign Correspondence recommended recognition of Gran Logia De La Republica Dominicana, and Grand Lodge of Japan, but deferred the request of Grande Loja Desanta Catarina and Gran Logia Occidental De Colombia, at Cali.

The Committee on Masonic Education recommends a wider use of the booklets prepared and distributed three

years ago. It urged all Lodges to take part in American Education Week in November, to encourage the teachers of the Public Schools in emphasis on democracy.

An oration was delivered by W. Bro. J. Y. Sanders, P.M., On "The Foundations are being Destroyed, what are the Righteous going to do about it?" It was a forceful pronouncement of liberty, freedom and patriotism.

J. Benjamin Higginbotham of Baton Rouge was elected and installed as Grand Master.

### MAINE—1958

139th Annual Communication—May 6-8.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Aubrey L. Burbank.

Lodges, 208.      Membership, 47,894.      Gain, 270.

Two Special Communications of the M.W. Grand Lodge of Maine for the dedication of temples are recorded.

Among the distinguished guests at the Annual Assembly were M.W. Bro. Harry L. Martyn, Grand Master, and V.W. Bro. Clifford E. Hough, Past Grand Pursuivant of the Grand Lodge of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

The Grand Master, in his address under Necrology, reported the death of 898 brethren during the Masonic year, among whom were four Permanent Members. He was particularly pleased with the increased attention of Lodges to the educational programs, and with the increase in Masters' and Wardens' Associations.

Arrearages of \$28,664.00 for two years or more caused the Grand Lodge some concern. Lodges were urged to make strenuous attempts to collect from the delinquent members. Comment was made on one Lodge which attempts to operate with an annual dues assessment

of only \$2.00, on two Lodges at \$2.50 and on 31 Lodges at \$3.00.

During the year five Centennial, and one Sesqui-Centennial, Celebrations were attended by the Grand Master, in addition to twenty-two of the District meetings. At the latter an effort is made to encourage the brethren to apply the practices of Masonry to the life of the twentieth century. The Grand Master was well pleased with the Lodge history program, and that of the Masonic Blood Bank.

Maine has been discussing a proposed Masonic Home, but undue haste is being avoided. Lodge Secretaries and Treasurers are supposed to be bonded by their Lodges, but some 15 are not, and 96 Lodges failed to report on the matter.

The Grand Master closed his address by quoting a poem entitled "My Creed" by Bro. Edgar A. Guest. In the Proceedings this was followed by appendices listing meetings, visitations, dispensations, and amendments to Lodge By-laws.

The Grand Treasurer reported the total receipts of Grand Lodge for the year at \$43,656.82 and expenses at \$37,304.16. The auditors placed the assets of the Grand Lodge at \$812,758.12.

The Grand Secretary had an excellent report to which several appendices were added. Veterans' Medals have been presented to about 262 members who have been in good standing for fifty years or more.

The Grand Lecturer held some 17 schools for instruction. They were attended by 1,100 Masons from 193 Constituent Lodges, including some 809 officers or 65.4%. He concluded his report by quoting from "The Master Mason" edited by Joseph Fort Newton.

*"Masonry was not invented; it grew. Today it unfolds its wise and good and beautiful truth in three noble and impressive degrees, and no man can take them to heart and not be ennobled and enriched by their dignity and beauty."*

*'The first lays emphasis upon that fundamental righteousness without which a man is not a man, but a medley of warring passions—that purification of heart which is the basis alike of life and religion. The second lays stress upon the culture of the mind, the training of its faculties in the quest of knowledge, without which a man remains a child. The third seeks to initiate us, symbolically, into the eternal life, making us victors over death before it arrives.'*

*"The First is the Degree of Youth, the Second the Degree of Manhood, the Third the consolation and conquest of Old Age, when the evening shadows fall and the Eternal World and its unknown adventures draw near."*

The report on Correspondence is prepared by Ralph J. Pollard, P.G.M., and occupies about 74 pages, including a page and one-half for Canada in Ontario. Considerable space is devoted to the visits and addresses of M.W. Bro. William L. Wright.

## MANITOBA—1958

83rd Annual Communication—June 4-5.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. David Rothstein.

Lodges, 118.      Membership, 16,241.      Gain, 166.

A short biography of the Grand Master serves as an introduction to the Proceedings of 1957-58. M.W. Bro. Rothstein has a chain of theatres in Manitoba and Saskatchewan and in this business he has secured wide recognition. During the war he served with the Canadian army at home and abroad. He brought to the office of Grand Master vigor, enthusiasm and a deep love of the Craft.

Two Special Communications were held during the year. Three Pillars Lodge (U.D) was duly constituted and consecrated on September 3, 1957; and the cornerstone of Virden Agricultural and Recreational Centre was

laid on July 26, 1957. At the latter ceremony W. Bro. N. Forsyth delivered a brief historical oration.

Approximately 114 Lodges were represented at the 83rd Annual Communication. R.W. Bro. Charles R. Newcombe, Grand Chaplain, delivered the invocation. The nominations were announced, and later the Grand Lodge Officers, including, R.W. Bro. W. Albert Prugh the newly elected Grand Master, were installed and invested.

Most of the business of Grand Lodge is conducted or approved by the Board of General Purposes. Nine meetings were held during the year, and R.W. Bro. W. A. Prugh, Deputy Grand Master, presented an interesting report of the year's transactions.

Two Lodges under dispensation were approved and placed on the Register of Grand Lodge. The Grand Secretary's report includes such items as Suspensions, Dispensations, Expulsions, Amendments to By-laws, Arrears of dues, Charities, and Appointments. On Dec. 31st, 1957, there were 1,755 members in arrears to the extent of \$19,547.06, which was a decrease from the previous year. The Secretary reported briefly on Conferences, District Meetings and Official Visits he had attended.

The Grand Treasurer reported surplus assets of over \$24,000.00: the Income for the year being \$27,522.44 and the expenditures \$28,555.13, thus leaving a slight deficit. The Benevolent Endowment Fund showed a surplus of \$340,325.91, and the Beneficiary Fund showed some \$57,906.51 after expenses had been met. The payments from this fund totalled \$12,089.50. The total surplus in all funds was \$465,417.48.

Among the guests introduced at the evening session was R.W. Bro. J. Wellington Smith, P.G.S.W., Grand Lodge of Canada (Ontario).

The Committee on Fraternal Dead saluted departed brethren because "they are symbols of ourselves", "as friends and Brethren", and finally as "Children of the Great Architect of the Universe".

The Grand Master's address followed his itinerary of visits, and listed the recipients of some 58 fifty-year medals. One sixty-year bar was presented. In concluding his address, he referred to the preservation and maintenance of individual integrity and quoted a poem by Edgar Guest, following which he said,—

*"Yes brethren, you and I as individuals are the KEY. We can lock the door on human liberties and fall behind an iron curtain of hate and sectionalism, or we can open the doors to all that Freemasonry teaches. By being Masons, not only in name, BUT IN DEED, can we as individual meet the responsibilities of citizenship."*

The Committee on the Condition of Masonry reluctantly admitted that attendance at Lodge meetings was not good. Some good advice is indicated in this paragraph.

*"Good results can be obtained and much improvement achieved through sincere, consistent and intelligent effort on the part of Masters and their Officers and co-workers, to raise still higher the standards of Masonic Education in our Lodges. If they are diligent, they can encourage and stimulate the social side of the activities by making the Lodge and its affairs really attractive."*

The Grand Historian, M.W. Bro. William Douglas, delivered an address on "Charles Curtis, the First Freemason to settle in Manitoba."

At a luncheon, W. Bro. John D. Cunningham of the Masonic Service Association gave a fine address on "Some Misconceptions about Freemasonry". This was a powerful refutation of the several prevalent criticisms usually given by the adversaries of Freemasonry.

The Grand Chaplain, R.W. Bro. C. R. Newcombe, delivered an interesting philosophical and historical explanation of the raising of the candidate.

The proceedings contain reports for the various District Deputy Grand Masters, pages dedicated to the Fraternal Dead, and various statistics. There are no Fraternal Reviews.

**MARYLAND—1958**

Communications—May 30 and November 18-19.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Charles H. Cover.

Lodges, 128.      Membership, 47,953.      Gain, 480.

The Proceedings of the Grand Lodge of Maryland open with a brief biography of Bro. A. Wayne Reed, who was elected Grand Master at the Annual Communication. Then followed the records of a special Communication for the dedication of the Masonic Temple at Dundalk.

The Semi-Annual Communication was held in Baltimore on May 30, 1958, and opened by the Deputy Grand Master who welcomed M.W. Bro. Charles H. Cover, the Grand Master.

The Grand Master commented on the harmony, progress and prosperity of Masonry in Maryland, and, assisted by the Grand Chaplain, paid tribute to the Fraternal Dead. Some 76 visitations are listed with special reference to a few occasions. In referring to Masonic Clubs the Grand Master had this to say,—

*“Again, if these organizations are manned by Masons of Good intent, are well managed and directed toward proper end, the growth in number has no particular significance. Where such is not the case, serious trouble, complain, ridicule of the Craft, or other incidents may ensue. The Officers of such a Club change at frequent intervals, and with such change too often the course of management. Our concern is not only the foregoing, but also the conviction that a rapid growth in number of Clubs or interest therein spells further deterioration of Lodge attendance.”*

Mention was made of the solicitation of subordinate Lodges for contributions to various civic charitable or religious enterprises. The Grand Master reconfirmed a previous ruling, that, excepting those concerned with local charities within the province of the subordinate Lodges,

such Lodges were not to contribute to unauthorized solicitations without the approval of the Grand Master

The Grand Secretary's report is quite detailed and mentions \$547,999.50 paid over to the Grand Treasurer. The latter reported the Homes Endowment Fund investments of a market value of \$2,755,889.30.

Visitors to the Museum numbered 3,037, and some 160 persons attended 4 lectures given under Museum auspices. The list of donations for the year covers some five pages.

The reports of the Grand Lecturer and District Grand Lecturers indicate commendable activity in Masonic Instruction and Education.

The Communication in November was the 172nd Annual. The tenor of the meeting was similar to the previous semi-annual communication but reports and speeches were generally more detailed.

M.W. Bro. A. Wayne Reed was elected and installed as Grand Master.

### MASSACHUSETTS—1957

Quarterly Communications, Eight Special Communications, and the Stated Communication of December 27.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Andrew G. Jenkins.  
Lodges, 340. Membership, 132,822. Gain, 1,917.

Of the 340 active Lodges in this Grand Jurisdiction, 328 are in Massachusetts, 7 in the Canal Zone, three in Chile and one in Japan. The condition of Masonry is satisfactory although there were over one hundred initiations fewer than in 1956.

The Board of Masonic Relief met at the Masonic Home in Charlton. Under its supervision are the Masonic Home, the Masonic Hospital and General Char-

ities. The total expenditures for Benevolent Purposes were \$430,593.59, and represented a daily per capita cost of \$4.73 for the Home and \$11.25 for the hospital. There were 109 residents in the Home and 29 patients in the hospital at the end of August, 1957. The Balance Sheets of Grand Lodge list Assets of \$8,555,080.62.

Eight Special Communications of Grand Lodge were held, five being celebrations of 100th anniversaries. Interesting histories of these Lodges are included in the Proceedings.

The Stated Communication had a memorial service for M.W. Bro. Melvin M. Johnson conducted by M.W. and Rev. Thos. S. Roy, D.D.

M.W. Bro. Andrew G. Jenkins was re-elected and installed as Grand Master.

The speakers at the Feast were R. W. Leverett Saltonstall, Senior Senator from Massachusetts; the Grand Master; R.W. Paul L. Perkins, Deputy Grand Master; M.W. Nathan Turk, Grand Master of New York; Ill. George E. Bushnell, 33°, Sovereign Grand Commander of the Northern Jurisdiction, A.A.S.R. of the United States, and Rt. Em. E. Robert Chable, Grand Prelate, Knights Templar.

The latter was the principal speaker, who delivered a very interesting address on,—“What is the philosophy of Freemasonry?” As some of the philosophies of life he mentioned, power, pleasure, withdrawal, and materialism. None of these satisfied the Mason whose basic philosophy is love.

## MEXICO (YORK)—1958

98th Annual Communication—March 15.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Simon Utay.

Lodges, 9.	Membership, 634.	Net Loss, 3.
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The introduction to the proceedings consists of “A Brief History of York Rite Masonry in Mexico”. Freemasonry is said to have been introduced into the country

in 1806, and in 1824 a York Rite Grand Lodge, composed of five Constituent Lodge, was granted a charter from the Grand Lodge of New York and known as "Gran Logia Nacional Mexicana". Of the five Lodges, only one, "Union Fraternal" was able to survive.

Union Fraternal really consisted of four Lodges, English, French, German, Spanish, working under one charter in 1860 under James C. Lohse as Master. In 1865 the master subdivided "La Union Fraternal" into three Lodges which constituted themselves in "Grand Lodge Valle de Mexico" with Bro. Lohse as Grand Master.

Since then various changes have occurred and various Grand Bodies have apparently directed Masonic affairs, several of them operating simultaneously. However in 1911 the regular Grand Lodge adopted the name "York Grand Lodge of Mexico", F. and A.M. with English as the official language.

The proceedings of the York Grand Lodge of Mexico are brief including only some 50 pages. The Grand Master reported on his year's work including a Special Communication called for the election of a new Secretary to replace R.W. Bro. Henry A. Robinson who had been called to his rest. M.W. Bro. Mino M. Covo was elected Grand Secretary. The Grand Master appointed several Grand Representatives and made many official visits. regretted that he had been unable to attend the Conference of Grand Masters in Washington.

The Committee on Fraternal Relations recommended recognition of the Grand Lodge of China and of the Grand Lodge of Peru (Washington Street Temple).

The Grand Master ruled,—

*"A Master Mason is hereby defined as a member who has successfully passed the examination of the third degree and has been accorded a Diploma as a Master Mason."*

The Committee on the Grand Master's address did not agree with this ruling of the Grand Master and

claimed that a brother became a Master Mason the moment he was "raised" in a just and lawfully constituted Lodge of Masons; and specified that no subsequent ruling or definition could invalidate his right to be received as a Master Mason.

Grand Lodge sponsors a magazine called "York Rite Trestle Board" which is published five times each year. In September, 1958, issue there are articles on,—"Survival", "The Tetragrammaton", "Workers and Drones", "Light", "Brotherly Love", "Why do Men become Masons?" and other equally interesting Masonic topics.

The Grand Lecturer, M.W. Bro. Sidney Ulfelder, P.G.M., spoke on his impressions and experiences of many years of Masonic activity. This paragraph is significant.

*"Masonry has not outlived its usefulness, and more than ever in this day and time there is greater need for it. The aggressive infiltration of an atheistic 'Ism' should lead us to make greater efforts against this evil. Look at those three candles on the Altar. I like to liken them to the three tenets of our institution. I like to think of those three great candles to lighten the way of those, who have been darkened by intolerance and selfishness and have been placed in their hands for brotherly love."*

The Grand Orator, M.W. Bro. A. H. Seabrook, P.G.M., delivered an excellent address basing his oration on *Faith, Hope and Charity*. He quoted this stanza by Alfred Austin.

*"So long as Faith and Freedom reigns,  
And loyal Hope survives  
An gracious Charity remains,  
To leaven lowly lives:  
While there is one untrodden tract  
For intellect or will,  
And men are free to think and act  
Life is worth living still."*

Cantwell C. Brown was elected and installed as Grand Master.

## MICHIGAN—1958

132nd, Annual Communication—May 27.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Raymond M. Douglas.

Lodges, 534 (2 U.D.) Membership, 176,533. Gain, 1,311.

The Proceedings of the Grand Lodge of Michigan for the year 1958 have as a Frontispiece the picture of the newly-elected Grand Master, M.W. Bro. Joseph L. Hunter followed by a short resume of his Masonic and other activities. A list of the newly elected Grand Lodge Officers and a page of their photographs follow.

Among those in attendance was M.W. Bro. Morgan J. Smead, P.G.M., Grand Representative of the Grand Lodge of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

The registered attendance was 1,136 including 473 visitors, among whom were M.W. Bro. Jos. A. Hearn and R.W. Bro. E. G. Dixon of Ontario. Perhaps the most interesting introduction to Grand Lodge was that of Bro. Sanford H. Wescott, a Mason in his 100th year and who is reported to be the eighth oldest living Master Mason in the world. His Masonic career extends beyond 75 years. He spoke briefly on "The End of the Road."

Bro. W. Mackay Skillman, Judge of the Recorder's Court of the City of Detroit, welcomed Grand Lodge to the City and Bro. Morgan J. Smead, P.G.M., responded.

The Grand Master's address, including a chronological report of his activities, occupies some 32 pages of the proceedings. He made 20 rulings and decisions, laid five corner-stones, dedicated nine temples, conducted one Constitution and Consecration, and installed the officers of the Lodge in Lansing. The Grand Master appointed 16 Grand Representatives, visited eight Fraternal Grand Jurisdictions and three other Grand Bodies in Michigan. He approved 100 waivers of Jurisdiction

and refused 16. He was favourably impressed by the plans submitted for 9 new Temples.

Contracts for improvements at the Masonic Home and Hospital amounted to approximately \$375,000.00. Seven Centennials were celebrated and the Grand Secretary mailed some 2,023 buttons to 343 Lodges. These indicate 50 years or over in Masonic Service. The Grand Master closed his address with these words,—

*“Finally—as men and Masons, walk with God, hand in hand and by the light of the three lesser lights, behold the glory and beauty of that great light in Masonry. The Holy Bible, wherein is told the story of universal love and brotherhood.”*

A Committee submitted a “Service in lieu of the Graveside Ceremony—to be used at the option of the Worshipful Master, who may want to consider the wishes of the family as far as possible.” Apparently many Grand Jurisdictions find the attendance at Masonic Funerals gradually diminishing, and Chapel Services the night before the funeral are generally preferred. The Masonic Service and Education Committee revised the “Services At The Grave” to suit the new procedure.

Portions of the Proceedings are devoted to “In Memoriam” and “Withdrawals, Suspensions, Expulsions and Restorations”, Statistical Tables and Lists of Lodges and Officers.

## MINNESOTA—1958

105th Annual Communication—March 19-20.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. George E. Wilson.

Lodges, 293.      Membership, 69,375.      Gain, 518.

Four occasional communications of Grand Lodge were held for the laying of corner-stones and one for the consecration of a new Lodge.

The Grand Master visited many Lodges during the year and reported a good attendance on these occasions. He noted that Lodges which have special programs or entertainment have the better attendance records.

He emphasized the importance of charity in Masonry, and praised the service of the Minnesota Masonic Home. This institution is supported by an annual per capita tax and an assessment paid by each candidate who is raised. Hospital Visitation at Rochester, Masonic Service Association Veteran's Visitation Program, and the Masonic Memorial Cancer Hospital were commended as worthy of support.

The Grand Master attended seven conferences but was unable to go to the Inter-provincial Conference at Banff, Alta.

He condemned any use of 'Mason', 'Masonic' or 'Freemason' on any Masonic emblem as a part of a business or firm name, or on its cards, circulars, etc., as a violation of their Masonic Code.

The records show over 311 Fifty-year Emblems, 23 Dispensations, 24 Rulings, 26 By-laws approved, 60 Visitations in Wisconsin and 15 journeys to other Grand Jurisdictions.

This indicates a most active year for the Grand Lodge and its officers.

The total receipts from all funds amounted to \$627,528.49 of which almost 50% was for relief work. The total of all disbursements was \$565,422.40.

The Grand Orator, M.W. Bro. Carl E. Erickson, delivered an excellent and eloquent oration on world conditions, tendencies and Masonic tenets.

The two following quotations will serve to illustrate some of his thoughts.

*"Fear and faith are two of the most powerful forces in the world. Today many are frightened. Some are bewildered and overwhelmed, mainly from ignorance*

*because we do not spend enough time in thought and study in search of truth and wisdom. Characterized by an absence of introspection and reluctance to be self-critical, too many of us look for an escape from the heavy uncertainties which surround us. Our fears, bewilderment and uncertainties find their roots in our preoccupation with the materialistic.*

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*“And we must lead exemplary lives because examples are the best and most lasting lectures; virtue the best example. He that hath done good deeds and set good precedents, in sincerity is happy. Time shall not outlive his worth. He lives truly after death, whose good deeds are his pillars of remembrance, and no day but adds some grains to his heap of glory. Good works are seeds, that after sowing, return us a continual harvest; and the memory of noble actions is more enduring than monuments of marble.”*

J. Miles Martin was elected and installed Grand Master for the ensuing year.

### MISSISSIPPI—1958

140th Annual Communication—February 11-12.

Grand Master—W. Bro. John T. Wilbanks.

Lodges, 314.      Membership, 50,147.      Gain, 723.

The Grand Master was very appreciative of the support he had received both from his Masonic brethren and from his employer in Corinth. The section of his address on 'Necrology' mentioned not only deceased Grand Lodge officers in Mississippi but recorded those in other Grand Jurisdictions in Canada and United States.

He considered the address of M.W. Bro. William L. Wright on 'Masonry's Mandate For Today' as the highlight of the opening ceremonies of the Grand Master's Conference at Washington.

He made some 180 visits during his year in office. He referred to the Masonic Home for boys at Columbus and the one for girls at Meridian. The attendance at these two homes had gradually decreased to 22 children, and the one at Columbus was to be closed. It was recommended that the property of 234 acres be sold.

The Grand Master visited the Eastern Star several times, the York Rite, the Scottish Rite Bodies, and the Shrine; dedicated and constituted a new Lodge, and laid a corner-stone.

On Masonry and Americanism he said:—

*"Masons were in vanguard of those patriotic Americans who established our forme of government, wrote its Constitution, and formulated the Bill of Rights. The principles and teachings of Masonry instilled in them the desire for personal and political freedom, civil and religious liberty, and a government of the people by the people, and for the people. Masonry is now what it has always been—an institution formed upon brotherly love, respecting at all times the religious, political, and civil freedom of men everywhere."*

The report of the Fraternal Correspondent, Bro. C. C. Buchanan was interesting and informative. He advised against the recognition of the Grand Lodges of Santa Catarina, Venezuela, Japan, San Paulo and Rio de Janeiro of Brazil, Guatemala, Valle de Mexico, and Egypt. Among the problems confronting most Grand Jurisdictions he mentioned the lack of Masonic Education, failure of subordinate Lodges to raise fees, poor attendance at meetings and 'horse-play' in conferring some degrees. In another portion of the Proceedings he quoted extensively from addresses of Masonic speakers at the annual meetings of many Jurisdictions.

Curtis Edward Morphis, an employee of the Illinois Central Railroad, was elected and installed as Grand Master. He has been interested in Masonry since May, 1924.

## MISSOURI—1958

137th Annual Communication—September 30 - October 1.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Frank P. Briggs.

Lodges, 593.      Membership, 124,232.      Loss, 165.

The Proceedings commence with a photograph of the Grand Master followed by a brief biographical sketch which refers to him in these words.

*"Dr. Samuel Johnson once said of the lovable Oliver Goldsmith, 'He touched nothing that he did not adorn.' Freemasons of Missouri know that the same sentiment applies equally as well to their Grand Master who so skillfully directed all of their affairs during 1957 and 1958."*

The Grand Master's address covers some 15 pages, dealing with the state of the Craft which shows excellent spirit and fine fellowship, with the visits of the Grand Master, the Masonic Home, the Free Public Schools, laying cornerstones, dispensations and decisions. Under "Charity" several incidents of local assistance are recorded and illustrate the real spirit of brotherly love and relief.

The Grand Secretary reports the awarding of some 412 buttons to Masons of fifty years and over. The financial statement showed receipts of \$122,451.27, and expenditures of \$117,829.53 for general purposes. The Per Capita receipts for the Masonic year were \$234,268.29. The Treasurer's report included references to cash, bonds and other investments amounting to over \$350,000.00.

On June 30, 1958, there were 310 members in the Masonic Home and 126 patients in the hospital. In the Out-Patient Department 2,016 patients were seen by the Doctor and 7,811 were treated in clinic.

The Grand Lecturer, RW. Bro. Freelon K. Hadley visited every district in the State at least once. His chief criticism was that some Lodges were using unauthorized rituals and other books.

M.W. Bro. Ray V. Denslow heads the Committee on the Recognition of Foreign Grand Lodges and also deals with Fraternal Correspondence in a section called "The Masonic World". He believes that some Grand Lodges are not sufficiently liberal in their recognition of other Grand Jurisdictions.

The Committee on Masonic Education sent out 11,000 copies of "The Freemason" in June. Sufficient cards were returned to assure a mailing list of 8,000 in September.

"The Masonic World" occupies some 95 pages and is a fine review of the Masonic Fraternity. Many general questions are discussed, and individual Grand Jurisdictions are given some space. Canada is given one page of which Ontario receives one-half, including references to M.W. Bro. W. L. Wright's address.

Robert L. Aronson was elected and installed as Grand Master.

## **MONTANA—1958**

94th Annual Communication—June 23-24.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Myron E. Bean.

Lodges, 140.      Membership, 26,307.      Gain, 92.

The Grand Master conducted five Special Communications prior to the Annual Communication, two for dedications, and one each for a constitution, a funeral service of a Past Grand Master, and the consolidation of two Lodges. Grand Lodge was welcomed to Billings, Montana, by Mayor Earl Knight who commended his city to the brethren. The response was given by the Deputy Grand Master.

Among the distinguished visitors was M.W. Bro. D. D. McQueen, Grand Master of Alberta.

Grand Master Myron E. Bean paid fitting tribute to some 479 Masons who had been summoned to cross the Great Divide during his year in office. He mentioned visits in his own and other Grand Jurisdictions, all of which were well attended. His work included several installations; District Meetings; the awarding of many Fifty-year Certificates and Veteran's Badges; the appointment and approval of Grand Representatives; issuing of several dispensations; and decisions of many problems.

One of his decisions was that he could not issue a dispensation for a Lodge to meet and confer a third degree on Sunday, as this is specifically prohibited in their code of statutes. No regular or special meetings are held on Sundays in Ontario.

Near the end of his address the Grand Master offered this sound advice.

*"Be Spiritually minded, be Community minded, and be politically minded to this extent that every good citizen exercises the right of casting his ballot. The person for whom you cast your ballot has the dignity, important thing, by Brethren, is whether or not the important thing is not the political party. The important thing my Brethren, is whether or not the person for whom you cast your ballot has the dignity, the integrity, the sincerity of purpose, the fortitude and courage to stand upon his own two feet against all kinds of temptations and conduct the affairs of his office, whatever it may be, in a manner in which he could face the whole world and be proud of his work. The candidate who meets these qualifications is entitled to your support."*

The Grand Treasurer reported total assets of \$88,257.28, approximately half of which was in cash in the bank.

The Grand Secretary gave a good account of his year's transactions. Like other Secretaries he experienced trouble in getting the required monthly returns from some Lodges.

The Committee on Fraternal Correspondence refers to good relations with some 100 Grand Jurisdictions in

the United States, the Dominion of Canada and other Grand Jurisdictions in various parts of the world. Forty-three pages are allotted Correspondence for 1958, and the impressions of the Committee were summarized in this quotation from the "Foreword" of their report.

*"The Grand Lodge Meetings of the past year which are before us for review show a high tide in the thinking and pride of Masons throughout the world."*

The Grand Chaplain, Owen Arington, delivered a thoughtful address on "A Mason's Responsibility to the Youth of America". He stressed that Masons should become aware of existing situations, should give youth a pattern by living our precepts, should support studies and legislation designed to help youth, and should show interest in such youth organizations as DeMolay.

Montana has an excellent Masonic Home associated with a ranch. There are some 52 members (12 men and 40 women) in the Home with an average age of 82.2 years. Receipts in the General Fund for the year were \$96,305.12, and the Disbursements were \$77,459.10.

M.W. Bro. James T. Harrison was elected and installed as Grand Master for 1958-59.

## NEBRASKA—1958

101st Annual Communication—June 3-5.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Roy I. Babbitt.

Lodges, 276.      Membership, 46,213.      Gain, 149.

The Proceedings of the Grand Lodge of Nebraska commence with a brief biographical sketch of the Grand Master, who is employed as chief chemist of the Great Western Sugar Co. at Scottsbluff. He has had considerable experience in Masonry and is a member of the Presbyterian Church.

The Grand Master laid three cornerstones and conducted two dedications. Among the benevolent enter-

prises approved by Grand Lodge are the Nebraska Masonic Home at Plattsmouth, the Omaha Home for Boys, and The Masonic Eastern Star Home for Children. He made some 37 Masonic visits in Nebraska and six to other Grand Jurisdictions.

Some of the decisions of the Grand Master were quite interesting. He ruled that a petitioner living in a trailer-home and working out of the jurisdiction of the Lodge was ineligible as he had no fixed residence. He also ruled that a petitioner with a wooden leg was ineligible. From the latter and other rulings it seems evident that Nebraska requires ability for a strict conformance with the requirements of a whole and healthy body.

The Grand Secretary reported that all Lodges had made complete returns. During the year one Lodge surrendered its charter and books. The records show that 138 Fifty-year buttons were presented. The financial reports show the total value of assets, including the Masonic Home, at \$1,440,752.43, of which \$828,260.93 represent The Endowment and Bequest Fund.

W. Bro. Raymond C. Cook, the Grand Custodian, submitted an interesting report. Many of his visits and those of his Assistant Custodian showed the effects of exceptionally bad weather. The so-called Central Schools were not quite so badly interfered with. Fifteen of these had 3,002 registrations. One hundred and seventy Lodges were invited to attend but thirty-one failed to do so. The work was described as outstanding.

On the Condition of the Work the Grand Custodian had this to say,—

*"The steady annual increase in the number of certified lodges and individuals is encouraging. The steady growth and spread of uniformity in our work; the evident desire to know and to put into practice the approved work and ceremonies of the Grand Lodge is tremendously reassuring.*

*"The universal acceptance of the dignity and reverence which we teach should govern all sections and*

*parts of our work, has brought an inward delight that prevades the soul of every earnest and sincere brother."*

W. Bro. Howard J. Hunter presented the report of his committee on Masonic Education, and noted that the four area meetings were well attended. Progress in getting Lodge Officers to see the necessity of doing something besides degree work is reported. The distribution of last year's "100 Questions about Freemasonry" has been continued and more Lodges are using them. Service to the brethren appears to be the motto of the Committee.

John E. Beaver was elected as Grand Master.

The Special Committee on Grand Lodge Business Affairs presented a five-page report which reviewed the structure and functioning of various Grand Lodge Spending bodies. Various recommendations and rulings were implemented, and regulations on Grand Lodge Finances were proposed and put into effect by the Committee. Expenses to be met and the methods of payment were fully set forth. These regulations occupy some 14 sections and cover three and one-half pages in the Proceedings.

The Committee on Fraternal Relations reported that Tasmania and Switzerland have accepted overtures made to them. During the year applications for recognition came from Gran Logia de Guatemala and from Gran Logia Occidental de Colombia. The Committee discussed various matters concerning the Grand Lodge of China, Grand Lodge of Japan, Grand Lodge of the Philippines, various Grand Lodges in Brazil, Grand Lodge of Egypt and some Grand Lodges in Mexico.

The Committee appointed to investigate the system of District Deputy Grand Masters reported against its adoption.

### NEW BRUNSWICK—1958

91st Annual Communication—May 22.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Dr. Donald A. Somerville.  
Lodges, 47 (1 U.D.) Membership, 8,914. Decrease, 38.

Among the visitors to the Grand Lodge of New Brunswick, R.W. Bro. C. McL. Pitts, D.G.M., of the

Grand Lodge of Canada, in the Province of Ontario, is recorded. R.W. Bro. A. C. Lemmon, our Grand Representative near the Grand Lodge of New Brunswick is the Grand Secretary. The Roll Call revealed that eight Lodges were not represented at the Communication.

A Service of Thanksgiving was conducted by the Grand Chaplain, V.W. Bro. Rev. D. C. McKenzie, who preached on the topic "Labourers together with God." He mentioned man as the Partner of God or the Fellow Craftsman. He said,—

*"In Masonry we are laborers together with God. We are not all operative masons, but as speculative Masons we are building a civilization. We are to make this structure a temple unto our God. That is the only proper view that we can take of our civilization, that it be a temple unto God."*

The Grand Chaplain suggested four tests to which all buildings should be subjected,—education, freedom, brotherly love, and faith.

The Grand Master referred feelingly to several prominent Masons who had died during the year including Robert David Magee, who had been the Grand Secretary. He referred to the late Secretary in these words of Bryant,—

*"Thou'rt gone: the abyss of heaven  
Hath swallowed up thy form; yet in my heart  
Deeply hath sunk the lesson thou hast given,  
And shall not soon deport."*

The Grand Master was highly appreciative of the opportunities he had had for visitations in and out of his Grand Jurisdiction. Near the conclusion of his address he used these paragraphs:

*"Freemasonry's foundations are deep, the stones are true, it is builded well. Is there a nation intact today that has lived since the time of the building of King Solomon's temple? Not one. All have been swept away in the constantly rising tides of human avarice,*

*passion and greed. Yet, Masonry stands more firmly today than ever before. Why is that so?*

*"The answer is simple, brethren. The Masonry we practice was erected according to the rules and designs laid down by the Supreme Architect of the Universe in the Book of Life. That book is our Trestle Board. Can Masonry be any more than this?"*

The Grand Treasurer's Report showed Receipts of \$20,329.11 and Expenditures of \$9,706.37. The Fund of Benevolence records receipts of \$27,933.43, and grants for the year of \$5,433.00. The assets are \$110,603.92 of which \$110,000.00 are in Bonds.

The Educational Committee reported that the Grand Secretary had distributed 95 copies of information and of the booklet "More Light on Freemasonry".

The Committee on Relations with Foreign Grand Lodges reported 24 Grand Lodges as worthy of recognition, three to be held pending receipt of more information, and five to be denied favourable consideration.

The Grand Master was elected and installed for another year.

## NEWFOUNDLAND—958

87th Annual Communication—April 29.

District Grand Master—R.W. Bro. Geo. R. Williams,  
M.B.E.

District Grand Lodge of the United Grand Lodge of  
England.

Lodges, 18.      Membership, 2,294.      Gain, 37.

The District Grand Lodge of Newfoundland held a semi-annual Communication on November 28, 1957 in addition to its 87th Annual. At this meeting R.W. Bro. Williams paid tribute to two prominent members of

Grand Lodge who had passed on, and also to R.W. Bro. David M. McFarlane, M.G.E., the deceased District Grand Master of Newfoundland of the Grand Lodge of Scotland.

R.W. Bro. Williams presented a complete semi-annual report recording some 101 occasions on which he had transacted some Masonic activity. From November, 1957, to April, 1958, the District Grand Master recorded 15 busy occasions. He reported that many valuable papers were written by senior members of the Craft for the Biennial and District Conference.

Business is conducted by the Board of General Purposes and by the Board of Benevolence both of which submit excellent reports. The President of the Board of General Purposes spoke highly of the Third Biennial Conference of Lodges in September under the chairmanship of W. Bro. H. D. Macgillivray, M.B.E.

The Board of Benevolence reported an increase in funds of \$1,719.78 giving it a total of \$5,302.14 now at its disposal. Four Lodges failed to contribute to benevolent funds. The Board hopes to reach an annual objective of \$10,000.00 from personal contributions.

The Grand Treasurer reported receipts and balances for the year at \$5,127.49.

The proceedings end with appendices giving the Annual Return of Work, Annual Membership Return, Obituary, Officers and a list of various past Grand Officers.

## NEW HAMPSHIRE—1958

169th Annual Communication—May 21.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Carrol H. Ingalls.

Lodges, 81.      Membership, 17,161.      Loss, 2.

The Grand Lodge of New Hampshire held a Special Communication on September 19, 1957 to dedicate a new Masonic Temple in Salem, N.H.; and celebrated the 99th semi-annual Communication in Manchester on

November 19th, 1957. At the latter meeting three different Lodges portrayed the Entered Apprentice, Fellowcraft and Master Mason Degrees respectively. Sixty-eight Lodges were represented.

The Board of Trustees of the Masonic Home held their annual meeting at the same time. Total available monies for the year were \$115,513.54 of which some \$94,525.00 were expendable. The investments and cash available for the support of the Home are \$1,193,011.32. The number of residents in the Home was 44 composed of 21 men and 23 women.

During the year Grand Lodge held Lodges of Instruction in each of eight districts. The average attendance of Officers of Lodges was 66.74%. The Grand Master was present on several occasions and gave an address on "Landmarks".

During his year he attended 21 Lodges and 15 other meetings in New Hampshire, and 13 in other jurisdictions. He mentioned with pleasure his visit to Ontario. He recorded some 32 Fifty-year Medals which had been presented by the Grand Lodge and 13 were presented by other Grand Jurisdictions. He mentioned a large number of courtesy degrees exemplified by New Hampshire for other Jurisdictions and vice versa, and noted many dispensations which were granted.

The Grand Secretary reported balances in various funds totalling \$131,293.44, including \$71,970.04 in the Charity Fund and \$20,084.54 in the War Relief Fund.

The Committee on Fraternal Recognition recommended approval of the Grand Lodge of Venezuela and of Gran Logia Occidental de Colombia, and that Japan be deferred.

The Grand Master was elected and installed for a second term.

Fraternal Correspondence is under a Committee, chaired by the Grand Secretary, Harold O. Cady, and occupies some 193 pages. Each Grand Jurisdiction of Canada is treated liberally, and some four pages are devoted to Ontario. Quotations on Masonic Education and on the Masonic Funeral Service from the address of M.W. Bro. W. L. Wright are included.

## NEW JERSEY—1958

171st Annual Communication—April 16-17.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Raymond N. Jensen.

Lodges, 283.      Membership, 107,493.      Gain, 907.

Some 54 pages at the beginning of the Proceedings of the Free and Accepted Masons for the State of New Jersey are reports of Emergent Communications such as laying cornerstones and dedications. Excellent photographs of new temples are included.

The Annual Communication was held in Atlantic City with all Lodges represented. Among the Grand Representatives, M.W. Bro. Adrien B. Hommell answered the roll call for Canada in Ontario, and later presented our Grand Master, M.W. Bro. Harry L. Martyn who replied to the address of welcome to the distinguished visitors.

The Grand Master was presented with and used a gavel made from the timbers of the building in which Grand Lodge held its first meeting. In his address M.W. Bro. Jensen expressed appreciation of the Past Grand Masters, the District Deputy Grand Masters and the Grand Representatives. During his year many dispensations were requested and most were granted. Petitions for four new Lodges were approved. Some 150 visitations are listed in an appendix to the Grand Master's address, indicating a year of great activity. In his concluding remarks, this sentence is found.

*“The Craft in this Jurisdiction at the present time is prosperous, in peace and harmony, high in morals, and the spirit of enthusiasm and interest is manifest in all sections of this Grand Jurisdiction.”*

The Grand Treasurer reported balances in some ten funds totalling \$144,146.70. The receipts for the year were \$505,031.61 of which some \$232,781.00 were collected for Masonic Home Maintenance. Included in the receipts was a levy of \$3.00 per member for charity and the working of Grand Lodge.

During the first day's session nominations for Grand Lodge Officers were held. Bro. August C. Ullrich was the only nomination for Grand Master. He was later installed in his office.

The Committee on Constitution and By-laws made an extensive study of "Code for Trials". The Committee recommended that a "Committee for the Trial of Charges" be set up. About 18 pages of the Proceedings deal with regulations, evidence, counsel decisions, and punishments. It might be noted that "*a brother guilty of any violation of the moral law is liable to charges.*"

The Grand Lodge Historian, R.W. Bro. Charles S. Elliott, related some interesting incidents on the ritual of the degrees. Martin Clare wrote the Entered Apprentice Degree in 1717. The various rifts and disagreements are reported. Credit for the local ritual is given to M.W. Bro. Joseph Trimble who based it on the William Preston ritual as modified by Webb.

The Committee on Necrology presented a thoughtful and well composed report referring specifically to several prominent Masons including M.W. Bro. Carl Claudy.

The Committee on Library and Museum reported calls as continuing to be encouraging.

The newly installed Grand Master addressed Grand Lodge outlining several questions and problems,—Masonic Public Relations, Manual for District Deputy Grand Masters, Grand Master's Day, and Proper Division and Grouping of Lodges into Districts.

## NEW MEXICO—1958

81st Annual Communication—March 17-18.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Harvey A. Thiele.

Lodges, 61.      Membership, 14,233.      Gain, 308.

Prior to the Annual Assembly at Santa Fe, three Special Communications were held; one at Carlsbad for laying a corner-stone; one at Grants for constituting,

consecrating and dedicating a new Lodge; and one at Las Cruces for the funeral of Past Grand Master, M.W. Bro. Herbert B. Holt.

The Committee on Credentials reported representatives from some 58 Chartered Lodges. These included Bro. Leslie A. Gillett, Sante Fe, Grand Representative of the Grand Lodge of Canada (Ontario). Eight distinguished guests and 82 visitors were registered.

Following the opening of Grand Lodge and the introduction of Visitors and Grand Representatives the Grand Master introduced W. Bro. Herman T. Decker as Grand Orator for the Coninunication.

He spoke on "These Things We Hold", emphasizing the fundamental tenets of the Order,—Brotherly Love, Relief and Truth. He described the first as the whole motivation of our association which should be exercised both in and out of Masonry. Emphasis was placed on charity as the practice of Masonic priciple. Truth was admittedly difficult to define and its interpretation was a personal matter with each Mason.

The Grand Master spoke enthusiastically about the condition of Freemasonry in these words,—

*"You can understand how gratified I am to say that I actually found Freemasonry to be much stronger, more enthusiastic and better informed than I expected. I am thrilled when I think of the hundreds of enlightened and inspired members spread over the State. With few exceptions I found our Lodges and a good percentage of the members most dedicated to Freemasonry, interested in promoting the Fraternity, and active in carrying on their activities. Generally speaking, the ritualistic work is being conducted in a creditable manner."*

M.W. Bro. Thiele paid tribute to 209 members who were called to the Grand Lodge Above; mentioned appointments he had made; reported on Special Communications, Changes in By-laws, Dispensations granted and refused; decisions made; and finally presented several recommendations.

One can understand the approval or recommendations to raise Life Membership from \$200.00 to \$300.00; certificate and pins for 25 and 50 year memberships; and the appointment of a committee to investigate Liability Insurance; but why should membership in the Masonic Relief Association of the Masonic Relief Association of the United States and Canada be dropped!

The Grand Treasurer's recapitulation of funds showed \$311,060.56 at the disposal of Grand Lodge. Benevolent work comes largely under funds for the Masonic Home, Student Loan and New Jersey Relief. These funds amounted respectively to \$153,183.40, \$65,537.31, and \$24,953.39.

The Committee on Foreign Correspondence decided to omit reviews from the Proceedings and to print them in the Freemason. The Foreword of some four and one-half pages has interesting comments on Attendance, DeMolay, Americanism and Public Schools, and other pertinent topics.

Russell G. Bird, Sr., was elected and installed as Grand Master.

## NEW SOUTH WALES—1958

### 70th Annual Report.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Thomas Leslie Warren.  
Lodges, 868.      Membership, 135,061.      Gain, 978.

The United Grand Lodge of New South Wales holds Quarterly and Special Communications, the first of the latter being on July 31st, 1957, at which the Grand Master and Deputy Grand Master were proclaimed and the other Grand Lodge Officers were invested. A Special Communication for the nomination of Grand Lodge Officers was held on June 9, 1958.

The Grand Master gave a fine address in which he expressed his gratitude to his officers and members and eulogized the merits of Masonry.

*"I feel that the Craft is growing stronger in its appreciation of the real meaning of Freemasonry and that the Brethren in City and Country Lodges are seeking more and more help and enlightenment in the great teachings of Freemasonry. The first and foremost is a belief in God on Whom our faith is founded. There is a great need to-day for Masters of Lodges, and in fact all Master Masons, to assimilate the great principles of Brotherly Love, Relief and Truth to enable them to be qualified to extend help to our younger Brethren and assist them to realise the great depth and strength and beauty of our teachings."*

Quarterly Communications were held in September, December, March and June, and at each the Grand Master reported on the activities of Grand Lodge during the previous three months. The chief operations of Grand Lodge are handled by the Board of General Purposes and the Board of Benevolence, each of which reports each quarter.

At the September meeting there was a long and interesting debate on a motion that each Lodge should pay to Grand Lodge ten shillings per member for ten years, the monies to be deposited with the War Memorial Temple Building Fund. The motion was defeated by a narrow margin. Incidentally the Grand Lodge of New South Wales collects fifteen shillings annually from each member. This sum is divided in four funds—Benevolence (3.0), Masonic Schools (7.0), Hospital (3.0), and General Purposes (2.0).

The Grand Treasurer reported the Investments Trust Funds, Land & Buildings, and Cash of Grand Lodge to total £777,809-5s-8d in August 1957.

The Grand Inspector of Workings is assisted by a large number of District Inspectors who make frequent visits to the Lodges. The Grand Inspector reports to Grand Lodge at each quarterly meeting. Generally the work appears to be well done and there is little cause for criticism. The following paragraph from the report on March 12, 1958, is a sample of the Inspector's satisfaction with progress.

*"The Grand Master will be pleased to know that the reports concerning the work and progress of the new Lodges which he consecrated, are very gratifying. The continued enthusiasm and interest of the Brethren has well merited the confidence he placed in them in granting their Charters."*

In March the appeal of a Past Master against the decision of the Board of General Purposes that he was guilty of an **infraction of Masonic Law** (desertion of his wife) was denied.

The Proceedings contain reports of the Council of the William Thompson Masonic School of the Masonic Hospital Board, and the Foreign Correspondence Committee. The latter has some 75 pages on Masonic Reviews, but the Grand Lodge of Canada is not mentioned.

The Board of Benevolence expended some £11,418 in grants during the year. This sum is in addition to costs of operating various institutions.

M.W. Bro. Warren continues as Grand Master.

## NEVADA—1958

94th Annual Communication—June 12-13.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. K. O. Knudson.

Lodges, 29.      Membership, 5,679.      Gain, 128.

The Frontispiece in the Proceedings is the reproduction of a photograph of the Grand Master, and is followed by a brief biographical sketch.

The Grand Master conducted three Special Communications,—one for a Masonic Funeral and two for the laying of corner-stones. On the two latter occasions excellent orations were delivered. At the first, Bro. Blake M. Franklin based his remarks on "The Chief Cornerstone", following the ceremony at the First

Baptist Church in Reno. The second 'laying' was for the Student Union Building, University of Nevada, at Reno.

In the Grand Lodge of Canada the laying of cornerstones for buildings which are not Masonic purposes seems to be disappearing. It is gratifying to note that the procedure has not died out in all Grand Jurisdictions. The educational and spiritual values of the Craft are worth emphasizing, whenever an opportunity is presented.

The Grand Master interrupted his address in the section on Necrology to permit the Grand Chaplain, Very Reverend Bro. John T. Ledger, to conduct a very impressive Memorial Service. On the resumption of his address, M.W. Bro. Knudson recorded the issuance of 22 Dispensations and the refusal of three. He conducted 15 Installations, and presented 19 Fifty-year Buttons. He lists some 29 official visits in Nevada, and received eight official invitations from other Grand Jurisdictions. The records show 47 special invitations to the Grand Master and 25 unofficial visits. The Grand Master was a busy man.

The Grand Treasurer's report showed annual receipts of \$10,918.13, and investments amounting to \$25,500.00. The balance in the Charity Fund was \$1,966.08, and there were no disbursements for benevolence during the year.

The Committee on Legitimacy of Grand Lodges recommended that Nevada recognize the Grand Lodge of Japan and establish Masonic relations with it.

Nevada's Code which prevented membership in more than one Lodge was repealed and a series of conditions adopted to permit multiple membership.

The Grand Orator delivered a thoughtful address suggesting the application of Masonic principles to many problems of the day; and was rather pessimistic about some school problems and the necessity of training for teenagers.

Yale Williams was elected and installed as Grand Master for the ensuing year.

## NEW ZEALAND—1957

68th Annual Communication—November 27.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Edgar O. Faber.

Lodges, 396.      Membership, 44,777.      Gain, 945.

This Annual Communication was held in Rotorua and was well attended. After the opening of Grand Lodge, and confirmation of minutes, the Board of General Purposes presented the business. The Grand Master, M.W. Bro. Faber was nominated by a large number of Lodges and re-elected for another term. In moving that M.W. Bro. Faber be re-elected, a sincere tribute was paid by M.W. Bro. W. J. Girling, P.G.M., who is the Grand Representative of the Grand Lodge of Canada near the Grand Lodge of New Zealand.

The schedule of investments showed £8,000 in the Fund of General Purposes and £383,140 in all other funds. The total assets under control of Grand Lodge were £544,174. The balance to the credit of the Widows and Orphans and Aged Persons Fund was £433,895. Annuitants received £12,236 for the year ending September, 1957.

The Grand Jurisdiction is divided into 13 Districts each presided over by a Provincial Grand Master, who submits an annual report, similar to that of our District Deputy Grand Masters, but all occupying only 11 pages in the proceedings.

Seven new Lodges were added to the Roll of Grand Lodge, and the Board approved new buildings, additions and improvements for 15 Lodges.

Most Lodges have taken out policies for Public Risk Insurance thus protecting themselves from claims by a person who met with an accident on Lodge premises.

The Board of General Purposes emphasized the responsibility of the Lodge, and particularly that of the Master and Wardens, in making full enquiries into the character of every candidate for membership.

V.W. Bro. W. H. V. Taine presented the Grand Lodge with a set of five gold-plated sterling silver vessels for use in the ceremony of consecration.

The first matter mentioned by the Grand Master was the lack of candidates in some Lodges. He thought this temporary condition gave an opportunity for additional instruction and the deepening of fraternal bonds.

He also discussed the statement, "Masonry is my religion", pointing out that Masonry has never demanded or taught any particular faith, but that active membership in the Order should make a man more active and sincere in his church.

He commended the increased proficiency in the ritual and ceremonies of the degrees. However he was disappointed that there seemed to be no similar desire to become acquainted with the workings of Grand Lodges, and urged a thorough knowledge of the annual Book of Proceedings.

He emphasized the message of King George VI on the occasion of the installation of the Earl of Scarbrough as Grand Master of the United Grand Lodge of England.

*"The world to-day does require moral and spiritual regeneration. I have no doubt after many years as a member of our Order that Freemasonry can play a most important part in this vital need."*

## NORTH DAKOTA—1958

69th Annual Communication—June 16-18.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. John A. Barner.

Lodges, 119. Membership, 14,270. Net Loss, 130.

The pictures of the Grand Master, M.W. Bro. John Alonzo Barner, followed by a short biography from the pen of the Grand Secretary, constitutes a suitable introduction to the 1958 proceedings of the Grand Lodge of North Dakota.

After the reception of distinguished guests and Past Grand Masters, twelve brethren who became fifty-year veterans during the year were introduced and accorded Grand Honors.

The Grand Master expressed sorrow and some concern over a small loss of membership for some three years early in his address, which was thought-provoking as the following excerpt indicates.

*"The Cross, symbol of Christianity, is first a challenge. We all need challenges. If we don't have them we die on our feet. The Cross represents a way of life, the challenge to us is to live that way of life. The Cross is a Vision. A vision is different from a challenge in this way — anyone on the sidelines can challenge us to win a game. Only a great performer on the field can show us how to do it."*

*"It was S. C. Jones who said 'The delights of thought, of truth, of work, and of well doing, will not descend upon us like the dew upon the flower, without efforts of our own. Labor, watchfulness, perseverance, self-denial, fortitude, are the elements out of which this kind of joy is formed.'*

*"Rev. C. L. Bryan has said: 'The genius of Jesus was that he lived what He preached. Trade-marks are protected by registration. The Cross is accredited or discredited by the lives of professing Christians.'*

He urged increased use and support of the Grand Lodge Library; spoke fittingly of 299 members who had passed to the Great Beyond; listed many appointments, dispensations, and other activities; and concluded by quoting stanzas composed by Will Bradley, from which one is quoted.

*"If I were doing things for men  
To make the world a better pen  
In which to pasture human feet,  
I'd do it now and not next week."*

Among the several balances recorded by the Grand Treasurer are the following:— General, \$13,013.74;

Relief, \$78,585.48; Masonic Service and Education, \$12,460.11; and Home or Hospital, \$66,308.76.

The Grand Secretary, M.W. Bro. Harold S. Pond, presented a fine review of the year's Masonry in North Dakota, discussing returns and finances at some length and emphasizing foundations and relief funds. He intimated that he had terminated his tenure of the office.

The Grand Chaplain, W. Bro. David F. Knecht, conducted an impressive Memorial Service and based his oration on "A Home not made with Hands."

The Librarian reported a total circulation of books of 2,539 with 188 outside the State. He reported that the museum has been set up as a permanent institution. Exhibits are changed periodically, and items of early Masonic history are being collected and preserved.

The Grand Orator, W. Bro. Nels G. Johnson, presented an address on "Our Attitudes", covering over five pages of the proceedings with excellent advice, as the following indicates.

*"Many of our attitudes are by necessity transitory, temporary, and fleeting. Many are inherited from friends, parents, associates. Others are created by our environment. Some are fundamental and permanent, permeating our entire existence. They stay with us for life, and shape our acts, our thoughts, and react upon our personality for good or bad. They may constitute our philosophy whether we realize it or not, and their existence, is a part of our approach to every problem or activity we confront. The great preacher, Henry Ward Beecher, said:*

*"All higher motives, ideals, conceptions, sentiments in a man are of no account if they do not come forward to strengthen him for the better discharge of the duties which involve him in the ordinary affairs of life."*

Fraternal correspondence is reviewed by P.G.M. Walter H. Murfin in 25 pages with about one-half page

to each Grand Jurisdiction. Among the Canadian Jurisdictions only Manitoba is included.

L. Claude Mensing was elected and installed as Grand Master.

### NORWAY—1958-59

Your reviewer has received a book of some 597 pages entitled "Matrikkel over Den Norske Frimurerorden 1958-59", which consists chiefly of lists of officers and members. The frontispiece is a picture of Carl Kaas who is referred to as Hoyesterettadvokat, and several of the early pages list prominent officials.

At the conclusion of a section (104) pages of the report on "Den Norske Store Landsloge" there is a record of the various grand representatives of many Masonic bodies in fraternal relations with Norway. R.W. Bro. R. C. Berkinshaw represents the Grand Lodge of Canada (Ontario). Then follow references to various Lodges listed as Trondhjems Provincialloge, and Bergens Provincialloge.

The two prominent groups of Lodges are St. Andr. Logen (7) and St. Johs. Logen (26), and the membership of each is recorded. References to Lodges is generally by number, but they may also have names; for example St. Johs. Logen No. 20 is "Aldebaran" and was formed in 1935. The index occupies 154 pages, and "In Memoriam" almost eight.

### NOVA SCOTIA—1958

93rd Annual Communication—June 8-9.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Judge Kenneth L. Crowell.  
Lodges, 113.      Membership, 14,871.      Gain, 137.

The Annual Session of the Grand Lodge of Nova Scotia really commenced on June 9th and was preceded by Divine Service the previous evening. The Grand

Chaplain, R.W. Bro. Rev. R. R. Gordon, preached an impressive sermon, using as his text, "He looked for a city which hath foundations, whose builder and maker is God." Hebrews 11:10.

He claimed Masons were striving to build an ideal community, and such should have four main stones in its foundation,—justice and righteousness; liberty; fellowship; and faith, faith in God. One paragraph from his oration reads as follows,—

*"It is only as we acknowledge God as our Father and bow humbly befor Him that we see others as His sons too, all men of whatever class or creed, or colour, or race, our brothers, God's Children, and the fact that we owe to them the obligation of brotherhood."*

The Credentials Committee reported that 82 Lodges were represented by 233 members and that 17 visitors were present. Ven. W. E. Ryder, Grand Representative of Canada was unable to attend.

The Grand Master emphasized the close and long association of Nova Scotia with many States of the Union to the south of Canada. During the year he had made some twenty visits to important Masonic functions, and to eleven District meetings. He begins the concluding remarks of his address with this paragraph.

*"We are today living in a world of uneasy peace where atomic fusion has created forces which, if unleashed, could end all civilization, and, as it is impossible for us as Masons to remain detatched, unconcerned and aloof from world events, where great social and economic forces are at work, it is all the more important that we show the world where we stand; that we are brethren believing in a Supreme Being; the dignity of man, being free to live our own lives as we choose and being part of a Fraternity that is a power for good in the land, its churches and community life."*

Some thirty-one pages are devoted to the reports of the District Deputy Grand Masters. One might sometimes think that they are too wordy, but the D.D. G.M. likes to record his efforts fully.

The Grand Lodge of Nova Scotia maintains a Masonic Home at Windsor. The Golden Jubilee Appeal, under the direction of M.W. Bro. H. M. Standish, P.G.M., is to be devoted largely to the support and enlargement of the home.

M.W. Bro. R. V. Harris, P.G.M., gave an interesting review of Fraternal Relations and listed a number of Grand Representatives appointed during the year.

The Grand Historian was pleased at the number of Lodge Historians who were working on the records of their Lodges. He also mentioned several additions to the Library and Museum.

The Grand Chaplain presented a short report on Necrology, and listed several pages of deceased brethren. This paragraph clearly points out a duty.

*"Their passing reminds us of the brevity of our earthly span, the rapid approach of that day when we too shall receive a summons that brooks no postponement or delay. If the work that they left for us to complete is not to be unfinished when the setting sun beckons us to the Islands of the West, we must be diligent and persevering while it is still today. Only as their memory inspires us to renewed endeavour shall we truly honour them."*

Some 58 members qualified for Fifty-Year and three for Sixty-year Bars during the year.

Rev. Donald Maclean Sinclair was elected and installed as Grand Master. A brief biography of this new Grand Master serves as an introduction to the 1958 Proceedings.

### OKLAHOMA--1958

50th Annual Communication—February 11-13.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. W. Earl Goode.

Lodges, 389.      Membership, 87,060.      Gain, 436.

The Official Proceedings report this Communication as the 50th Annual of the Grand Lodge of the State of

Oklahoma, the 65th of the Grand Lodge of Oklahoma Territory and the 85th of the Grand Lodge of Indian Territory. Some eight special meetings were held prior to the Annual Meeting, for constitutions, dedications and laying cornerstones.

The proceedings contain a biography of the Worshipful Master, M.W. Bro. L. V. Orton who was elected and installed at the close of this annual session, held in Guthrie, Oklahoma.

Near the commencement of the Grand Master's address we find these words,—

*"We have initiated thousands into Masonry and trained enthusiasts in its teachings. Many have come and passed on, but through it all we have been blessed with willing workers and loyal leadership, men willing to give their all in effort and experience to our Fraternity. We are confident that, so long as we adhere to the tenets and principles of Masonry, our Grand Lodge will continue to prosper."*

M.W. Bro. Goode then proceeded to report on the year's activities paying tribute to many Masons who had died, both in Oklahoma and in neighboring jurisdictions. He was impressed with the Grand Masters' Conference and with visits he made. Mention was made of many dispensations for conferring degrees in less than statutory time, of laying cornerstones, of dedication, constitution and consolidation of Lodges.

Tribute is paid to the Masonic Temple Service, to the Mason's Charity Foundation and to the Board of Control of the Masonic Homes. Incidentally some \$75,000.00 and interest were paid on building indebtedness. The Order of Eastern Star, Order of DeMolay for Boys, and Order of Rainbow for Girls are highly praised.

The Grand Master closed his address with the following quotation,—

*"Hold high the torch, we did not light its glow,  
'Twas given us by other hands, you know,  
'Tis ours to keep it burning bright,  
Ours to pass on when we no more need light."*

The Grand Treasurer reported a total of \$465,879.13 deposits from which the expenditures were \$419,014.86.

The Grand Secretary called attention to the abuse of the privilege which Lodges have of exempting members from the payment of dues. There were some instances of members carried on lists for many years, one for thirty. He reported 1,128 members unable to pay dues.

The Benevolent work is looked after through Masonic Home Activity Fund, the Masonic Charity Foundation, Home for the Aged, and Masonic Hospital Service.

M.W. Bro. Horace K. Jackson, Jr., P.G.M., of Texas was the speaker at the evening meeting of the second day. He believed that Masonry was helpful in developing civilization.

*"A characteristic of an ascending civilization is the strong character and initiative of the individuals who carry it forward. Conversely, decaying civilization is identified with a breakdown in personal character and the death of individual initiative which leads to the abandonment of the basic principles upon which the civilization was erected. Obviously, character is the only guarantee against following after 'false gods' into decay. It is necessary therefore that constant training in the fundamentals of good character is imperative as each new generation arrives to take its place upon the stage of action."*

He believes a Masonic Lodge to be a school and that its work is not finished until a Master Mason has acquired a thorough Masonic Education.

The Committee on Correspondence devotes some 75 pages to reviews of some 51 Grand Jurisdictions, in-

cluding Canada (Province of Ontario)—1956 and 1957. Liberal quotations from the address of M.W. Bro. W. J. Wright appear in the abstracts.

## OHIO—1958

149th Annual Communication—October 10-11.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Andrew J. White, Jr.

Lodges, 666.      Membership, 282,623      Gain, 860.

The total registered attendance at this Grand Lodge meeting was 1,821 of which 785 were visitors. Incidentally the total number of Lodges in the United States is recorded as 15,764 with a membership of 4,082,055, a gain of 33,745 for the year. The Grand Lodge of Canada, in the Province of Ontario was represented by M.W. Bro. Harry L. Martyn and R.W. Bro. E. G. Dixon.

The Grand Master opened his address with humorous references to an occasion on which he had been addressed as "Most Worthless Grand Master", much to the amusement of the assembly. He referred fittingly to the "Departed Brethren", and devoted several "In Memoriam" pages to three prominent Ohio Masons. Reference is made to the many visits locally and abroad during the year. One was to the Grand Lodge of Canada when he was accompanied by R.W. Bro. Ed. M. Jenkins. He ruled on some 23 questions which were submitted to him. He was not favourably impressed by Masonic Funeral Services.

In a couple of sections in his address he dealt with criticisms of Masonry, and classified various Masons. His "For the Birds" is a slightly satirical reference to many Masons found in most Lodges. Some are "Backward Lookin, Hiram," "Lazy Drop Outians", "Flying Gadabout," "Masonicus Querulous" and "Fraternalis Loyalis".

The Grand Master urged greater support for the various activities of Grand Lodge and especially for

the maintenance of the Masonic Home. Contributions for benevolent purposes for 1957 were \$156,776.94 exclusive of payments to the Home.

The Report of the Committee on Instruction and Education indicates a year of profitable endeavour. One activity was the publication of a new set of Degree Booklets for use by the candidates. The introductory book, "On the Threshold," has been praised highly.

The Committee on Ways, Means and Accounts estimated Income and Expenditures as \$1,129,000 and \$1,049,500 respectively.

Several pages are devoted to the Masonic Home and 66 Grand Jurisdictions are reviewed by M.W. Bro. Carl Wier Ellenwood, P.G.M. The Grand Lodge of Canada receives about one page.

Chester Hodges was elected and installed as Grand Master for 1958-1959.

## OREGON—1958

108th Annual Communication—June 11-13.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Clarence A. Kopp.  
Lodges, 190 (2 U.D.) Membership, 44,486. Gain, 93.

The proceedings have a reproduction of a photograph of the Grand Master as a Frontispiece, followed by a short biographical sketch.

The Grand Master considered his activities to come in two categories, routine of office, and the promotion of activities which tend to make Masonry an effective factor in the lives of its members and the community in which it exists. The former category requires some seven pages of the proceedings to record amendments to By-laws, and Dispensations for various purposes.

The Grand Master held 33 District meetings, constituted one Lodge, instituted another, and laid five

corner-stones. In addition the Grand Lodge dedicated many Lodge buildings as they have been completed.

M.W. Bro. Kopp looked with disfavour on requests to have Bingo, fish-pond fortune telling and other forms of gambling at Lodge parties. He ruled against the use of a Masonic emblem on the uniforms of a baseball team.

Seventeen Occasional Communications were conducted by the Grand Master during the year,—nine dedications, five laying corner-stones, and one each for a Masonic Funeral, the constitution of one Lodge, and the institution of another.

The Committee on Foreign Correspondence published extracts from and comments on several addresses given at various Communications. Over two pages are used for the oration of R.W. Bro. Rev. Andrew Caraker given at the Grand Lodge of Canada in "Masonry's Rendezvous with Destiny." Similarly space is allowed to the Grand Orator of Arizona, R.W. Bro. Roger K. Trueblood for his "Seven Keys to Gratitude." These are discussed briefly as love, faith, reverence, appreciation of beauty, humility, happiness, and right thinking.

Other topics mentioned in the report are Masonry's Challenge, Peace, Masonic Education, Youth Organizations, Masonry and Politics, Only a Mason, and, near the conclusion, a liberal quotation from "Immortality" by M.W. Bro. Thomas S. Roy, P.G.M. of Massachusetts.

The Committee on Masonic Instruction warned against roughness and "horse-play".

*"Again we strongly urge a strict refrain from undue roughness in the Third Degree, and wish to remind all Worshipful Masters of their responsibility for all things which happen in their Lodges. Roughness creates wrong impressions and presents hazards we cannot condone. It constitutes a form of Masonic offense."*

The greatest charity of the Grand Lodge of Oregon is reported as the Masonic and Eastern Star Home. The

Home Endowment Fund now totals \$1,079,470.59, being increased by over \$143,000.00 during the Masonic year.

An item of interest is the establishment of the Educational Fund in 1854, which now includes over half a million dollars. During the year \$17,845.00 were expended for educational activities by some 34 Lodges. The Grand Orator, Douglas McKay, emphasized freedom and education in his address.

Walter Lansing of Salem was elected and installed as Grand Master.

The Grand Lodge of Oregon issues a magazine, known as "The Freemason", which appears around the first of each month. The June number, 1958, had some interesting announcements about the forth-coming 108th Communication.

### **PANAMA—1958**

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Buenaventura Prolillo.

The Official Organ of the Grand Lodge of Panama is edited by the Grand Secretary, Nathan A. Reid. The associated editor, who has charge of the Spanish language portion is José Oller N. The June (1958) issue of the magazine, *La Fraternidad* (The Fraternity), has some 20 pages in Spanish and eight pages in English.

The 42nd Annual Communication on April 8, 1958, resulted in the election of M.W. Bro. Buenaventura Prolillo as Grand Master for the ensuing year. Other officers are listed and congratulated by the editors of the magazine.

The publication refers to several Lodges and personalities in the Grand Jurisdiction. Addresses of welcome were recorded to M.W. Bro. Andrew Ray Jenkin, G.M. of Massachusetts, and on another occasion to Rt. Hon. the Earl of Eglinton and Winton, Grand Master Mason of Scotland. There is an obituary to the late Melvin M. Johnson and some excerpts from the writings of

M.W. Bro. Thomas S. Roy under the title, "Do We Claim Masonry to be a Religion?"

The main editorial is entitled "Harmony," from which the following quotation is taken.

*"In the world of Masonry, harmony is the cornerstone of the Craft. From it springs the eternal fountain that pulses life into the whole fabric. It is founded upon fraternal love, relief, and truth, faith, hope and charity; upon temperance, fortitude, prudence and justice, and is diametrically opposed to ignorance, greed, wickedness, falsehood, and hypocrisy. It is exemplified in the guttural, pectoral, manual and pedal points of fellowship enjoined in the Masonic obligation, and preserved in the admonition that 'no contention should be known to exist among Brethren, but that noble contention or rather, emulation of who can best work and best agree'. It is the result of an alternating preponderance of forces, the perfect balance between good and evil, light and darkness, life and action. It is concurrence of contraries, the fusion of what is above and what is below, the average between the permitted and the prohibited, and the union of the visible with the invisible, the finite with the infinite, the known with the unknown."*

## PENNSYLVANIA—1958

Quarterly Communications—March, June, September and December.

Grand Master—R.W. Bro. Sandford M. Chilcote.

Lodges, 590.      Membership, 257,268.      Gain, 263.

The Right Worshipful, the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania held quarterly communications on March 5, June 4, September 3, and December 3, with the Annual Grand Communication on December 27. Special meetings were held in January, April, May and November.

The Special Communication in April was for the dedication of Masonic Homes at Elizabethtown. The

address was given by the Grand Chaplain, Bro. W. Ralph Ward.

*“Masonry sees the end product of civilization not in bridges and buildings, highways and cities, but persons whose lives are fashioned after the divine. The true goal of life is the creation of men; not the accumulation of things. . .”*

At the May Communication the R.W. Grand Secretary, Ashby B. Paul, was installed.

At the June Quarterly, Bishop Fred Pierce Corson, spoke on some phases of Masonry around the world. He emphasized that tyranny fears Masonry for several reasons,—

*“Masonry stands for the development of character.”*

*“Masonry maintains the right of privacy.”*

*“Masonry permits pride.”*

*“Masonry develops leadership.”*

*“Masonry speaks a universal language.”*

*“Masonry is a great world force without which our hopes for freedom and democracy and settlement of our international problems would be greatly dimmed.”*

At the December Quarterly the Grand Officers were elected, the Grand Master's term being extended for another year. The Grand Secretary reported the receipts of Bequests and Gifts amounting to \$568,887.82. The records and reports of the various trustees of these funds cover some 83 pages of the proceedings.

The total receipts of Grand Lodge were \$6,113,559.37, and the expenditures came to \$5,973,445.38.

The Committee on Masonic Culture noted the gradually increasing list of subscribers to “The Pennsylvania Freemason” and commented on the booklets now being made available for Masonic study. These are listed,—*“Pre-initiation”* (1. Fraternalism through the Ages, 2.

The Old Charges.) ; "After First Degree," (3. from an Operative Art to a Speculative Science, 4. Symbolism—Part 1.) ; "After Second Degree", (5. Early Freemasonry in Pennsylvania, 6. Major Benevolences of the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania.) ; "After Third Degree" (7. Symbolism—Part II, 8. The Committee on Masonic Culture.)

The Committee on Masonic Homes had an active year, receiving some 323 applications, and stating that some 144 were pending with the Lodges. The actual number of guests on the roll was 688. The number of patients treated in the Hospital was 896 and some 10,990 tests were done in the Laboratory. A complete report was included on the Homes and Farm.

M.W. Bro. Harry L. Martyn attended the Annual Grand Communication on December 27.

Installation ceremonies were held, and the Grand Master delivered his annual address in which he remarked on the various objectives and projects of the Grand Lodge.

## PHILIPPINES—1958

42nd Annual Communication—April 22-24.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Vincente Y. Orosa.  
Lodges, 115 (6 U.D.) Membership, 9,781. Gain, 389.

At the close of 1956, there were 11,538 Master Masons but with the recognition of the Grand Lodge of Japan, 2,143 members transferred to this Grand Jurisdiction. Near the conclusion of the Communication M.W. Bro. Howard R. Hick became the new Grand Master. It would appear that there is an alternation of Grand Master between Masons of the Philippines and of the United States. The proceedings open with a concise biographical sketch of the new Grand Master.

Early in the annual meeting a guest speaker, Dr. Y. C. James Yen, delivered a speech on Truth and Brotherly Love. During the development of his oration, he mentioned "The Philippines Rural Reconstruction Movement", "Agricultural Science for Increased Production", "Political Science for Self-government", and "Science Missionaries",—all contributing to truth.

Among the Grand Representatives was Abundio C. Rosario who answered for Canada.

The Grand Master spoke highly of the Masonic Hospital for Crippled Children. A total of 177 patients were treated during the year with a very high percentage of cures. He made many visitations and appointed delegates to discuss and settle several problems with the Grand Lodge of Japan. Recognition was finally recommended and approved.

The Grand Orator visited several Lodges and issued three circular letters in which he called the Master's attention to his duty to see that the Ritual was not used during any degree work, that the conferring of degrees must be done with seriousness and decorum, and that the Master must wear a hat appropriate to the office.

The Grand Orator, W. Bro. William H. Qusha, delivered an oration on "All God's Children". He strongly criticized the attitude of Bertrand Russell as a pacifist and impractical in his views.

The new Grand Master made a fine speech at his inaugural address stressing his desire to tender satisfactory stewardship.

The official publication of the Grand Lodge of the Philippines is a quarterly magazine known as "The Cable Tow". Three copies have been available for review and comment. One had a short article, "The Sources of Freemasonry", by Bro. J. A. Klein in Western Australia on the front cover.

*"From Greece it learned to be true and know yourself;  
From Confucius, to be clever and educate yourself;  
From Rome, to be strong and fortify yourself;  
From Buddah, to be disillusioned and suppress yourself;  
From Islam, to be submissive and bend yourself;  
From Judaism, to be holy and study the Sacred Law;  
From Christianity, to do unto others as you would have others do unto you;  
It has gathered together the lessons of the Ten Commandments, also the Sermon on the Mount.  
It has drawn from the Architecture of the Middle Ages.  
It is a psychological mother feeding its members on the very best morality it can find;  
Feeding, as St. Paul would say, on spiritual milk."*

Towards the end of the issue an interesting and stimulating article by Charles D. Broughton, Grand Chaplain of the Grand Lodge of the State of New York, is entitled "Don't Die on Third", and embodies the adage, "Keep on Trying."

### PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND—1958

83rd Annual Communication—June 25.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. C. G. Lord.

Lodges, 16.      Membership, 1,476.      Gain, 19.

A special Communication of Grand Lodge was held on June 14th to lay the cornerstone and to dedicate the Masonic Temple at Charlottetown.

At the Annual Meeting some 50 Grand Representatives responded to the roll call. The Grand Master expressed satisfaction over an increase in Lodge membership and over the quality of the candidates.

During the year the Senior Offices of all Lodges were scheduled to meet in conference at Charlottetown and present papers for discussion. Inclement weather curtailed attendance but the effort was considered worth

while. M.W. Bro. Lord in his address under Necrology referred to deceased Masons in these words,—

*"When toil is done, and one by one,  
We meet with our release  
Beyond the tomb, life's perfect bloom,  
The Temple - Heaven - Peace."*

The Grand Master regretted that he was unable to accept invitations from several Grand Jurisdictions, but was pleased with a special meeting at Picton where closer friendship with the Grand Lodge of Nova Scotia was cemented.

Excellent reports were given by the Deputy Grand Master and the Grand Orator. From the latter's address the following paragraph is significant.

*"Masonry tries to make better men out of good men, Masonry belongs to all time, Masonry finds great truths in all benevolent religions and Masonry unites men in common fellowship, in common purpose, in common service."*

The Grand Lodge operated on a budget of \$2,826.66. The Benevolent Fund amounts to \$34,735.86 most of which is invested in various bonds.

The new Grand Master is M.W. Bro. Errol R. Stetson of whom there is a short biography as an introduction to the Proceedings.

## PUERTO RICO—1958

73rd Annual Communication—April 25-27.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Hipolito Marcano.

Lodges, 62.	Membership, 5,628.	Gain, 24.
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Sixty Lodges were represented at the 73rd Annual Meeting. Isidro Diaz Lopez answered the roll call as Ontario's Grand Representative.

The Communication is recorded by the Grand Secretary, R.W. Bro. Emiliano Isales, in some 15 mimeographed pages. One new Lodge was instituted during the year. The reports of some 10 Standing Committees were read and confirmed, but the Secretary comments only briefly on some but does not publish them. The same applies to the reports of the thirteen District Deputy Grand Masters.

The report on Foreign Relations and Correspondence recommended approval of recognition of Grand Lodges in New Brunswick, West Australia, and Germany. Further information is to be sought regarding Japan and the several Grand Lodges of Brazil.

The Grand Lodge held some 40 special Communications of which 34 were for Installations of Officers. Three of the special events were for instituting, consecrating and constituting of a new Lodge, and dedicating a new temple.

The assets of the Grand Lodge total \$679,065.65 and the liabilities are only \$4,467.72. The increase in assets for the year is \$7,197.95.

Thirty-eight brethren received Honor and Fidelity Diplomas for twenty-five years of uninterrupted service. One brother qualified for the Fifty Year Diploma and Button.

The Grand Secretary devotes about three pages to the addresses, visits and other activities of the Grand Master, who was re-elected. The Secretary refers to the Grand Master in these words

*"Those who hear him speaking of Masonry become conscious that an institution, like ours, based on the Brotherhood of Man and the Fatherhood of God, provides everything that is necessary for the happiness of man and prepares him to confront the hazards of life with steadfast determination."*

The Grand Lodge issues quarterly bulletins under the title "Acacia". There is an English section in the

third quarterly of 1958 by R.W. Bro. A. G. Lightburn, and under "Duly and Truly Prepared" he discusses the necessity of well qualified officers. Another significant article is entitled "The Dignity of Masonry."

Your reviewer has received one copy of a quarterly magazine, "Acacia," which is the official publication of the Grand Lodge of Puerto Rico. The portrait of a Past Grand Master, M.R.H. Jose Gonzalez Ginorio, appears on the front cover.

The concluding pages appear in English and refer to the English Section of the Grand Lodge which includes three Lodges,—"St. John the Baptist", "Paul Revere" and "Caribbean Light". The Grand Master of this section is M.W. Bro. Hipolito Marcano. One of the problems discussed is the very familiar "lack of attendance at Lodge meetings!"

Among the articles in Spanish are a history of the Eastern Star in Puerto Rico, and a short biography of the Grand Master, mentioned above by the Grand Historian. There is also a philosophical treatment of the Masonic Conception of immortality.

### QUEBEC—1958

88th Annual Communication—June 5.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. J. McL. Marshall.

Lodges, 105 (2 U.D.) Membership, 18,033. Gain, 115.

The Grand Master conducted three Special Communications during the year, two for dedications and one for the institution of a new Lodge.

M.W. Bro. Marshall expressed sorrow in memory of some 388 members who had died during the year, including two Past Grand Masters. He made some fifty visitations during the year. He was favourably impressed with the Conference of Grand Masters in North America, at Washington, D.C.

The Grand Master reported that in perusing some Lodge notices and bulletins, two items were noted which suggested some solicitation in favour of nominees for Grand Lodge. He pointed out the following ruling:—

*“Canvassing for office in Grand Lodge and in subordinate Lodges is opposed to the spirit and principles of Freemasonry”.*

The Grand Master's address occupies some 19 pages of the Proceedings. Near the conclusion we find this excellent paragraph.

*“Masonry is a relationship of kindred souls, dedicated to sincere understanding for the benefit of all humanity, bound together by an all-prevading love of the one Father, the Creator of Life and Master Craftsman, whose delineation of beauty surpasses the power of mortal words to describe. Masonry functions like a great balance wheel — it leads stability to the human life; it gives purpose to the human mind; it grants assurance to the human heart. It has lived through many ages; it will grow through many more. It secures for men today a new significance of life for those who would seek the Truth”.*

Some thirty-five pages contain the reports of the District Deputy Grand Masters. These indicate considerable activity in the Grand Jurisdiction, but one sometimes marvels at the enthusiasm and optimism shown by them.

The Permanent Benevolent Fund has assets of \$583,663.47 and the Revenue Account of this Fund produces \$68,805.25. The Emergencies Benevolent Fund reports \$110,173.87. For the year, receipts in the General Fund were \$24,830.03 while disbursements were \$19, 560. 83. From the two Benevolent Funds 27 cases were assisted to the extent of \$5,406.01, equivalent to .30 per capita of membership.

The Committee on the State of Masonry expressed regret that some Lodges were failing to enforce the Constitution in reference to arrears in dues. The two

Lodges, Under Dispensation, were recommended for the granting of Charters.

The Grand Secretary, R.W. Bro. R. W. Louthood, is Chairman of the Committee on Foreign Relations and Correspondence. Recognition was extended to the Grand Lodge of the State of Israel, but held in abeyance for the Grand Lodges of Venezuela, Japan and China.

Fifteen members were presented with Fifty-year Jewels, thus bringing the total awards to forty-nine for the year.

The Grand Master was re-elected and installed for another year.

## QUEENSLAND—1958

### 37th Annual Report

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Horace B. Milliner.

This report deals with a Special Communication held on July 3rd, 1957, and four quarterly meetings during the year ending June, 1958.

At the Special Communication, M.W. Bro. Milliner was installed as Grand Master. Grand Masters from Western Australia, Tasmania, Victoria, New South Wales and South Australia were present to witness the ceremonies.

From M.W. Bro. Milliner's address the following paragraph denotes a noble resolution.

*"We now stand on the threshold of a new Masonic year. Let us resolve that by complete efficiency and enthusiasm the future will be even better than the past, and that we shall prove worthy of the great heritage handed down to us."*

Various officers were installed or invested, and greetings were voiced by many visitors.

Complete reports were presented by the Board of General Purposes and the Board of Benevolence at the

Quarterly Communication in September. The Treasurer's Report showed considerable funds in a variety of projects to the amount of £523,481-18-0.

A fine address was given by Bro. Professor R. P. Cummings on "The Noble Orders of Architecture."

The Grand Master reported that he had made visits to about sixty Lodges.

The December Quarterly was well attended and R.W. Bro. A. J. M. Stoney, P.J.G.W., delivered an address on "King Solomon." The Grand Master made 64 visits. Nominations for various offices were made.

During the March meeting the Grand Chaplain, V.W. Bro. L. J. Douglas, addressed the assembly on "The Book of Ruth."

At various Quarterly Communications the Grand Master conferred Past Rank on various brethren. In June the Grand Lodge officers were elected as nominated by the Board of General Purposes.

The United Grand Lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of Queensland issues a quarterly magazine, "The Ashlar." The December issue of 1958 has been available for review. Included there is a supplement "Complete Queensland Masonic Directory." The magazine has interesting articles on various Masonic topics.

The Ashlar is published quarterly by The United Grand Lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of Queensland, under the editorship of M.W. Bro. Albert E. Roberts, P.G.M.

The September issue opens with an editorial on "Leadership" from which the following quotation, describing the basis of Masonry is taken.

*"Brotherly love and tolerance is the foundation on which Freemasonry rests, and brotherly love and tolerance is the only direct course for a Ruler in the Craft. Impartiality among the brethren is the one and all in*

*brotherhood, more especially, as an example, by those who rule. Masonic laws are very clear, thus there is no excuse for not carrying them out.*

*"With unanimous support by all to the tenets and precepts of Freemasonry, to promote and encourage faith and confidence in each other, we will go far towards that great day to which purpose Freemasonry set out to consummate, the Brotherhood of Man."*

The valuable work of M.W. Bro. W. B. Beanland, P.G.M., on the Board of General Purposes, 1924 to 1958, was recognized in the presence of several prominent Past Grand Masters. Another article is devoted to Bro. Sir Alexander Fleming, the discoverer of penicillin.

The proclamation and installation of R.W. Bro. H. B. Millner as Grand Master for a second term occurred on July 2nd. In his speech, accepting the office, he referred to some 35,000 practising Masons in Queensland, and their impact for good on the greater part of 100,000 people.

Mention is made of the new Temple erected by Port Douglas—Mossman Lodge and of its history and the ceremony of dedication. A similar ceremony is recorded for Roma Temple. Masonry is evidently on the march in Queensland.

A page is devoted to M.W. Bro. (the late) King Edward VII, P.G.M. and his association with Quatuor Coronati Lodge of Research.

The Grand Master's visits to the two Northern Districts are reported and also his visit to West Australia for the installation of M.W. Bro. J. L. Rossiter, M.A., D. Litt., as Grand Master.

Many other interesting articles are recorded in The Aslar, including "The Cup of Brotherly Love", (The Holy Grail of Freemasonry) attributed to Brother Hickox.

**RHODE ISLAND—1958**

167th Annual Communication—May 19.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. George A. Farron.

Lodges, 44.      Membership, 19,205.      Gain, 61.

The full title of this Grand Jurisdiction is,—“The Grand Lodge of the most Ancient and honorable Society of Free and Accepted Masons for the State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations.”

During the year, Nelson Arthur Hyland, the Grand Secretary, died and the Grand Master appointed M.W. Bro. Fred W. Johnstone to fill the vacancy.

Four Occasional Communications were held, one for instituting a Lodge, one for the dedication and two for corner-stone layings. The semi-annual Convocation was held on November 18, 1957. The Grand Master referred to some twenty members who had died since the Annual Meeting, including the late Grand Secretary.

The two Communications for the laying of corner-stones were held on Sundays, a procedure unknown in the Grand Lodge of Canada. The Rhode Island services were highly spiritual and religious and seemed to be most apt and fitting.

Past Grand Master Albert P. Ruerat closed his memorial to R.W. Bro. Hyland with this stanza,—

*“Now the labourer’s task is o’er;  
Now the battle day is passed;  
Now upon the farther shore  
Lands the voyager, home at last.”*

At the Annual Communication the Grand Master mentioned some twenty Masters and Past Masters, who since the previous semi-annual meeting, had joined the “Grand Lodge Above.” He reported many visits he had made both in and out of the Grand Jurisdiction. He commented on the loss of membership by city Lodges to those in the suburbs, thus causing some concern in the financing of the older Lodges.

He listed some 73 veterans who had qualified for the fifty-year medals.

Lodges in Rhode Island average 435 members, ranging from 76 to 1,300. The Grand Master hints that intimate friendship is scarcely possible in a large Lodge.

In commenting on the refusal of Lodges to release jurisdiction to another Lodge he said,—

*“Very bluntly, it is my opinion that release is denied for no other reason than to secure for themselves the initiation fee. Masonry is being placed on a dollar basis.”*

The Grand Master reported on the Condition of Masonry in these paragraphs.

*“In Rhode Island Freemasonry, there are problems to be met. Some Lodges are gradually losing membership and foresee financial adjustment. Some others are bothered by housing problems and consequent financial matters.*

*“In the overall picture, Freemasonry is advancing in numbers, stability and moral standing. I am not unduly worried, certainly not pessimistic. Freemasonry has in it those qualities which insure its growth.”*

The reports of the seven District Deputy Grand Masters take up sixteen pages. Almost always they are records of the itinerary.

The General Fund allocated \$49,026.25 for various purposes. It was all spent except \$1,571.25. Part of the funds come from the per capita tax of \$1.25. The total assets of all funds are \$85,623.71.

Henry J. Cooper was elected and installed as Grand Master for 1958-59.

## SASKATCHEWAN—1958

52nd Annual Communication—June 18.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. T. R. Luke.

Lodges, 205. Membership, 17,703. Gain, 118.

The procession to the meeting of Grand Lodge is led by representatives of the Royal Canadian Mounted

Police in dress uniform, and later these officers present the flags of Canada and the United States. The Credentials Committee reported 428 members in attendance, representing 142 Lodges. Bro. Fred C. Wilson answered the roll call as the Grand Representative of Canada in Ontario.

The Grand Master accompanied by the Grand Secretary, M.W. Bro. Robt. A. Tate, visited all Masonic Districts for a day. In the afternoon there was an exemplification of portions of the Fellowcraft Degree, and in the evening the Grand Secretary spoke on "Masonic Facts and Fallacies". The Grand Master praised these meetings and emphasized the advisability of more Masonic Education.

The Grand Master referred fittingly to the Fraternal Dead and listed prominent deceased members of many Grand Jurisdictions in friendly relations with Saskatchewan.

Due attention was given to the Banff Conference, Youth Programme, Christmas Message in the "Tracing Board", Anniversaries, and Visits to Constituent Lodges and to other Grand Jurisdictions.

The receipts of Grand Lodge for the year were \$35,410.10, with a balance of \$3,765.55 after expenditures had been met. The Benevolent Fund had total receipts of \$41,715.53 from which payments for assistance amounted to \$23,269.45. Other demands came from the Benefit Fund, the Education Fund, and the Tracing Board Fund. Nearly \$4,000.00 are expended on The Freemasonry and Youth Fund. The Summary of Surplus Accounts was \$676,754.39.

The Grand Secretary's Report was quite complete and detailed, giving a résumé of his many activities. Thirty-two fifty-year certificates were issued and some 155 Life Memberships were prepared. He ended his report by quoting the following stanza.—

*"Welding the bonds of brotherhood  
 In a great chain of common good,  
 Bearing the burdens, sharing things  
 Lifting the world with shining wings,  
 All this our creed, our hope and plan  
 Keeping the faith, with God and Man."*

The Committee on the Condition of Masonry made excellent reports on membership and meetings. Lodges with high membership usually have a low percentage attendance, and the highest rate, 82%, was held by a Lodge of 39 members. The Committee urged an increase in knowledge of the Craft, through individual and group study.

Each District Deputy Grand Master reported his year's activities, using about one page of the proceedings.

M.W. Bro. Douglas Fraser and his Committee on Fraternal Correspondence and Relations recommended that applications for recognition by China and Japan be filed, that Venezuela be held in abeyance and that of Egypt refused. Some twenty-seven pages are devoted to reviews of proceedings. Ontario receives about one-half a page.

M.W. Bro. R. Mayson was elected and installed as Grand Master.

## SCOTLAND—1958

Quarterly Communications.

M.W. Grand Master Mason—The Rt. Hon. The Earl of Eglinton and Winton, T.D., D.L., B.A.

The proceedings of the Quarterly Communication of May and August, 1958, have been available for review. On May 1st Bro. Lord Elgin expressed his appreciation of the excellent response to the appeal for funds for the Scottish Masonic Home, Randolph Hill, Dunblane, an excellent addition to the facilities of Ault Wharrie.

The Grand Master Mason and the Grand Secretary visited the Scottish Lodges in Bermuda, Panama, Jamaica,

St. Kitts, Barbados, Trinidad and British Guiana. The journey totalled some 12,000 miles by air and 3,000 miles by sea. The Grand Master Mason's Chronological report of and commentary on his extensive journey is most interesting and informative. His summary of the trip is comprehensive but very concise.

*"It is inevitable that a report of this kind must of necessity be factual, and the following statistical summary may be of interest:—*

- (a) *We were twenty-six days in Bermuda and the Caribbean Area.*
- (b) *We attended seventeen meetings at which Degrees, or other ceremonial work were carried through.*
- (c) *We were guests at thirty-three dinners, luncheons, receptions, etc., at most of which we both made speeches.*
- (d) *We had eight informal meetings where we discussed Masonic matters generally.*
- (e) *We attended Divine Service with the Brethren on each of the four Sundays.*

Most of the business of the Grand Lodge of Scotland is handled by the Committee of the Fund of Scottish Masonic Benevolence, and by the Grand Committee. Benevolent Grants totalled £565.0.0. Committees on Finances, Hall and Buildings, Museum and Library, and for other features report regularly to the Grand Committee.

Attached to the proceedings of the Quarterly Communication of August 7th, 1958, is the Report of the Official Opening Ceremony of Randolph Hill held on August 2nd. The Grand Master Mason introduced The Earl of Elgin and Kincardin who expressed his thanks for donations exceeding £13,000, and then called on Lady Eglinton to open Randolph Hill.

The Grand Master Mason called on the R.W. Substitute Grand Master, Bro. Lord Bruce, to present his

report on a visit to West Africa, Rhodesia and Kenya. This was done with great care and detail.

The Grand Treasurer Bro. D. Macneill Watson presented a short report on his visit to Iran and Iraq.

Several visitors were present and M.W. Bro. F. P. Galbraith, P.G.M. of Alberta spoke briefly and effectively on Masonry in Canada and on his visit to Scotland.

The Masonic Homes Board met in September and reported donations of £13,882.13.3 for the furnishings of Randolph Hill.

## SOUTH AUSTRALIA—1958

74th Annual Communication—April 16.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. His Excellency Air Vice-Marshal Sir Robert Allingham George, K.C.M.G., K.C.V.O., K.B.E., C.M., M.C.

Lodges, 196.      Membership, 26,265.      Gain, 739.

The Grand Lodge of Antient, Free and Accepted Masons of South Australia held its Half-yearly Communication on October 16, 1957, and its Annual Communication on April 16, 1958. The business of the Grand Lodge is conducted largely by the Board of General Purposes.

During the half-year one new Lodge was consecrated and two others were constituted. Only a few people, one member, two widows and four children receive assistance from the War Relief Fund. The Board has several homes which are available for tenancy as soon as they become vacant. The Board also allocates several Masonic Scholarships.

During the six months interval nine brethren were added to the roll of fifty-year veterans. The following regulations govern qualifications for veteran rank.

- “(a) *A brother who has served in good standing in this Jurisdiction continuously for fifty years.*
- “(b) *A brother who has served for an aggregate period of fifty years in good standing in this Jurisdiction, although such service may not have been continuous.*
- “(c) *A brother who has served for an aggregate period of fifty years in good standing in Free-masonry, although such service may not have been continuous and although portion of such service may have been served in another Jurisdiction, provided that his qualifications for receiving the award have been approved by the Board of General Purposes.”*

During the half-yearly communication the Grand Master gave an excellent address and invited the Grand Secretary to trace the history of the application to the Earl Marshal of England for a warrant covering the Arms of Grand Lodge. The design appears to be very attractive.

At the Annual Communication the Board of General Purposes approved consecration of a new Lodge, added another nine to the roll of fifty-year veterans, and approved recognition of the Grand Lodge of the State of Israel.

The excess if Income over Expenditure in the General Fund was £1,224/6/10, and funds distributed for Benevolence were £8,655/14/8. The assets of the Grand Lodge were listed at £151,984/0/7.

At the Annual Communication, M.W. Bro. the Hon. Sir Geoffrey Reed, LL.B., presided. The total attendance was 735 with Grand Representatives for eight Provinces, in Caanada. After referring to loyalty to the Sovereign he spoke as follows, on Fortitude,—

*“Brethren, the professions of loyalty to which we give utterance on so many occasions are not mere gestures. They come from our hearts and they are the voice of that spirit by which we are constantly actuated, and*

*which is the spring of so much of our conduct through life. Among the attributes that keep that spirit alive and active, the cardinal virtue of Fortitude surely pays a very important and significant part. This is a virtue which perhaps we are inclined to take too much for granted, and as manifesting itself only in certain ways. At times we hear of or witness outstanding examples of courage which move us to great admiration, and often we are amazed at the tremendous power of the spirit of man which can lift him to such heights of achievement. Then again we have in our midst many who over a long period of years bear with great patience and without complaint the inflictions of some serious disability or illness. They also move us by the spirit they evince."*

Fraternal Reviews include only the United Grand Lodge of England, and the Grand Lodge of Australia.

### SOUTH CAROLINA—1958

221st, Annual Communication—April 24-25.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. L. Wade Temple, Jr.

Lodges, 298.      Membership, 55,693.      Gain, 1,087.

The Grand Lodge officers had a busy year with seven Special Communications for dedication ceremonies, and six for the laying of cornerstones. The Annual Communication was preceded by a Religious Service at which the Grand Chaplain preached a sermon on "The Godly Man," whom he described as follows,—

*"Wherever you see a good man, whatever his gifts and talents may be, it is his character that marks him out and gives him a position of influence and authority among men. His character is not of his own making. It is his faith in God that makes him what he is. 'His delight is in the law of the Lord, and in His Law doth he meditate day and night.' He is the man who looks not 'on the things that are seen; but on the things which are not seen.' All that we see in him to admire; his integrity, his love of justice, his mercifulness, his kind-*

*ness, is the product of his communion with the Eternal. He is like a tree planted by the rivers of water, and it is because his roots strike deep in spiritual soil that he brings forth fruit and his leaf does not wither."*

Attributes of character which he emphasized were,— Firmness, Fruitfulness, and Freshness.

R.W. Bro. Eward G. Dixon attended as our Grand Representative to South Carolina.

The Grand Master's address presented a vivid picture of a year of great Masonic activity. He described the State of the Craft in these words,—

*"Harmony prevails throughout the Jurisdiction and reports, without exception, substantiate this statement."*

Tribute was paid to the memory of some 678 brethren who had died during the Masonic year.

The Grand Secretary, M.W. Bro. Henry F. Collins, was advised by his physician to relinquish all duties for a time. R.W. Bro. Hugh N. Layne, S.G.W. was appointed Secretary, Pro Tem.

The Grand Master made approximately fifty visits in South Carolina and some twenty-three to other Grand Jurisdictions including one to the First Annual Communication, Grand Lodge, F. and A.M. of Japan, in Tokyo. This visit ranks as the high light of his term in the Grand East.

During the year 73 brethren received a Golden Emblem signifying the lapse of 50 years since they had become Master Masons. Twenty-five year service awards were presented to 350 brethren.

The Receipt for Dues Cards have a space on them for recording the blood type of a brother.

The Treasurer's Report showed receipts in the Masonic Relief Fund of \$282,789.93, and disbursements of \$24,256.00 to 84 Master Masons and \$38,986.00 to

149 widows. The per capita contributions to the fund were \$53,982.00.

A resolution proposing the establishment of a Masonic University in South Carolina was referred to the Jurisprudence Committee, and was to be retained by it for further study.

Bro. H. Dwight McAlister, Fraternal Correspondent, reviews proceedings of other Grand Jurisdictions, and gives about one and one-half pages to Canada in Ontario. The opinions of M.W. Bro. W. L. Wright are emphasized.

Thomas H. Pope was elected and installed as Grand Master.

### SOUTH DAKOTA—1958

84th Annual Communication—June 10-11.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. F. D. Richards.

Lodges, 168.      Membership, 20,433.      Loss, 100.

The Proceedings commence with records of three Occasional Grand Lodge Communications,—one for the Installation of the Deputy Grand Master, and two for the Dedication of Masonic Temples at Hudson and Edgemont. Then followed a biographical sketch of the Grand Master, Floyd Dudley Richards.

M.W. Bro. Richards described his year as "full and interesting." He attended twenty-four District Meetings, and some six meetings of Constituent Lodges, and made ten "out of state visitations." He made fitting references to deceased brethren, and presented several fifty-year medals and palms.

The Grand Treasurer reported receipts \$88,671.22 for the year, including a balance of \$41,490.88 from the previous year; the disbursements were recorded as \$17,923.32 and the additional Budget Items totalled \$27, 903.22. The Grand Charity Fund has \$225,728.10 in Bonds and \$153,164.34 in Stocks. Real estate in the fund is valued at \$419,510.58.

The Grand Secretary reported complete returns from all the Chartered Lodges. The Grand Lodge Library Contingency Fund totals \$5,438.41. The books and periodicals are reported in considerable demand.

The Deputy Grand Master and the two Wardens submitted brief reports on their year's activities.

The Grand Chaplain, Rev. J. W. Torbert, conducted "The Masonic Memorial Service" for those who have been called up higher by the Supreme Architect of the Universe. He used these lines of William Cullen Bryant.

*"So live, that when thy summons comes to join  
The innumerable caravan which moves  
To that mysterious realm where each shall take  
His chamber in the silent halls of death,  
Thou go not like a quarry slave at night  
Scourged to his dungeon; but, sustained and soothed  
By an unfaltering trust, approach thy grave  
Like one who wraps the drapery of his couch  
About him, and lies down to pleasant dreams.*

Fifty-year pins were awarded to 73 veteran brethren, palms to 6 sixty-year stalwarts, and Distinguished Service awards to 7 members.

At the banquet, M.W. Bro. Robert A. Tate, Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge of Saskatchewan, delivered a fine address on "Freemasonry and Freedom". He discussed some five phases of modern society and pointed out Edward Gibbon's claims in "The Decline and Fall of the Roman Empire" were applicable to conditions to-day. These five points were emphasized,—

1. *The undermining of the dignity of the home which is the basis of human society.*
2. *Higher and higher taxes—the spending of public monies for free bread and circuses.*
3. *The mad craze for pleasure—sports becoming every year, more exciting and more brutal.*

4. *The building of gigantic armaments when the real enemy was within.*
5. *The decay of religious faith, faith fading into a mere form, losing touch with life and becoming impotent to guide people."*

Thirty-six pages are used for Fraternal Correspondence and Recognition. One page is given to the Grand Lodge of Canada, in the Province of Ontario.

The new Grand Master is M.W. Bro. Ernest L. Johnson.

### TASMANIA—1958

67th Annual Communication—February 22.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. F. J. Carter.

Lodges, 67.	Membership, 8,479	Gain, 104.
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The meeting was held at Devonport and was attended by all except 6 Lodges. Most of the business was reported by the Board of General Purposes and the Board of Benevolence. The former indicated progress in improvement of Lodge premises.

*"The Board now has under consideration a scheme for creating a fund for the purpose of assisting Lodges with their Temples, and of purchasing an office for Grand Lodge. The proposal will be put before Grand Lodge at the half-yearly Communication in August next."*

The Board of Benevolence reported assistance to 10 brethren and to 29 widows and dependents of deceased Masons.

*"Relief has been extended to Masons in distressed circumstances, their widows and children to the extent of £1,953/0/4, which includes special Christmas cheer of £380. (£10 per beneficiary). This shows an increase of £152 odd on the corresponding period last year."*

*"Total disbursements for the year amounted to £3,476/13/3, an increase of £240 on last year.*

The Grand Inspector of Lodges favoured an improvement in deportment and dignity.

*"Deacons have a habit of using their Wands to indicate to Candidates where and how they are required to stand. The Wand is their emblem of office and it does not look well to see it used in this manner.*

*"Some Worshipful Masters and Wardens use their Gavels in a far to forcible manner."*

Punctuality sometimes appears to be violated in Tasmania—a failing in some Lodges in Ontario, Canada.

*"A punctual opening of the Lodge by the Worshipful Master, and the saving of a few moments here and there, can result in the ceremony in the Temple finishing early enough to enable Brethren to remain for the proceedings in the South, and still be home in good time if desired. It does not appear detrimental to the fellowship of the South if some Brethren consider it necessary to go home before the conclusion of the evening due to a late finish."*

The Grand Master gave an extensive review of the year's activities. A few of his remarks might be given attention by many Masons in the Grand Lodge of Canada.

*"I learn there have been instances where, on a Past Master's Night, a Master of a Lodge has handed over his collar to a Past Master performing the ceremony for the evening. It is quite wrong for him to do so, as in effect he is divesting himself of his Master's authority.*

*"Another matter to which I would like to refer is a report that in some Lodges proceedings continue indefinitely some time after the Tyler's Toast. This is a bad practice and leaves the Craft open to adverse criticism. . . .*

*"We need to build up and constantly maintain a high standard for our admission to the Craft. I am*

*afraid there is still a tendency for some Brethren to treat the matter lightly and to introduce candidates who have not the fundamental qualities to either appreciate Masonry for what it really is or the inclination to adhere to its standards."*

V.W. Bro. W. E. Northey, P.G.C. delivered an interesting address at the dedication of the Tamar Valley New Temple on "Our Name—What's in a Name?" The address was treated in four sections,—Lodge, Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons.

The Grand Master was continued in office for another year.

The half-yearly communication was held on August 30, 1958, with the Grand Master presiding.

The Board of General Purposes presented a report covering some six meetings and including congratulations to five brethren who had been awarded the Fifty Years Long Service Jewels. Several resolutions were presented to Grand Lodge to amend the constitution. One to establish a Property Fund to provide Headquarters for Grand Lodge evoked a lengthy discussion and action was deferred until the next meeting.

The Grand Master delivered a fine address in which he said in part,—

*"In saying therefore as I do now, that the state of the Craft in Tasmania generally, remains healthy and its reputation high, it will be recognized that such a statement is supported by my own close observation and personal experience."*

Two notable orations are recorded,—one by V.W. Bro. W. E. Northey, P.G.C. at the dedication of the new temple for Lord Dulverton at Oatlands, and a second on "The Eminence of Freemasonry," given by W. Bro. Dr. W. H. Hill, P.G.St.B. on the diamond jubilee of a Past Grand Master.

## TENNESSEE—1958

144th Annual Communication—March 26-27.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. James Walter Kerr.

Lodges, 389 (2 U.D.) Membership, 87,080. Gain, 1,676.

Some 387 Chartered Lodges were represented at this Annual Meeting, and distinguished guests attended from 14 sister Grand Jurisdictions. Seven members of fifty or more years Masonic service were specially recognized.

Under Necrology the Grand Master requested the Grand Chaplain, R.W. Bro. W. L. Scott to conduct a brief memorial service in memory of 1,109 members who had died during the year.

The Grand Master's impressions may be gathered from the following quotations from his address,—

*"I believe that Masonry in Tennessee, generally speaking, is in good condition. The various Masonic bodies are working together harmoniously, and are endeavouring to increase the loyalty and significance of Masonry to their initiates. We have had the finest cooperation from all of them."*

*"The theme of my message to the Masons of Tennessee this year has been 'Not More Men in Masonry but More Masonry in Men'. Certainly, we want all the good men in Masonry we can get, but I am firmly convinced that if we are to build well we must put more Masonry in men and, when we do, we will attract more and more good men into Masonry."*

*"We should promote Masonic Education; the practical and theological effect of Freemasonry will uplift and broaden the individual. 'High principles do not flourish automatically; they must be nurtured.' General Omar Bradley said, 'Humanity is in danger of being trapped by its moral adolescence—Man is stumbling blindly through a spiritual darkness while toying with*

*the precarious secrets of life and death—Ours is a world of Nuclear giants and ethical infants'.*

*"We are living in an age of fear and anxiety; fear of nuclear bombs and rockets, of warfare more dreadful than the mind of man can conceive. Some tell us that there is no defense. But my Brethren there is. There is a spiritual force far greater than the force and power of any man-made bomb.*

*"Twenty-seven fine District Meetings were held and it was my pleasure to be present and speak to the Brethren at each of them; with but a few exceptions the meetings were well planned and well attended; some were outstanding."*

M.W. Bro. Kerr had words of praise for the Order of Rainbow Girls, for the Order of DeMolay for boys, and for the Order of the Eastern Star.

The Grand Master's references to Masonic Charity were brief and pointed, as the following sentences indicate.

*"Charity is one of the main pillars of the Order, and he who is destitute of that noble feeling is unworthy the name of Mason.*

*"I am thoroughly convinced the system now practiced in Tennessee far excels the system formerly followed of bringing the men, women and children into a Home."*

The Endowment Fund Commission reports assets \$11,137,900.83. Maintenance and operation of the Home amounted to \$77,083.33. Some 280 persons were cared for in 1957.

The Grand Secretary reported the issue of one hundred and seven certificates and pins for presentation to 50-year Masons. He announced the receipt of \$240,591.28 from Lodges and other sources.

M.W. Bro. W. P. Douglas reviews Fraternal Correspondence and emphasizes True Fraternalism in his Foreword. His reviews include the Conference of Grand Masters, Conference of Grand Secretaries and the meeting of the George Washington Masonic National Mem-

orial Association. Canada (Ontario) receives a page with an excellent reference to the address of M.W. Bro. W. L. Wright.

William Josiah Saunders, Jr. engaged in the lumber and building business and a Mason since 1918 was elected and installed as Grand Master for the ensuing year.

### UTAH—1958

86th Annual Communication—January 27-28.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Calvin A. Behle.

Lodges, 31 (2 U.D.). Membership, 6,823. Gain, 197.

The Grand Master presided at two occasional communications for the laying of cornerstones and at one for the institution of a new Lodge. Thirty Lodges were represented at the Annual Communication. Bro. John Robertson was present as Grand Representative of the Grand Lodge of Canada.

In obedience to the Grand Lodge Constitution, the Grand Master reviewed the activities for the year paying tribute to the various Grand Lodge Officers and committees for duties well performed. He said,—

*“Utah Masonry needs new plans upon its Trestle Board if it is to go forward to accomplish still greater achievements in line with those of the past.”*

The Grand Master believed that the new Masonic Code, prepared during the year, would be a proper legal basis for planning, designing and acting.

The Grand Treasurer showed receipts of some \$21,350.57 and disbursements of \$19,757.14. The total assets of Grand Lodge are \$15,147.56.

The Grand Secretary, R.W. Bro. Clarence M. Groshell, made an excellent detailed report on finances and membership.

The Grand Lecturer tries to visit all Lodges in the Jurisdiction, but cannot always accomplish this task on

the allocated budget. He reported that all Lodges, except two, had conducted examinations of candidates in all three degrees. Utah and many Grand Jurisdictions in the United States emphasize the examination in the third degree.

The Grand Senior Warden announced that Grand Lodge had not been called upon for charitable assistance. Local Lodges were able to handle their own problems.

Utah has a Masonic Foundation, which has the following "objects, purpose and pursuits"—

*"Generally to encourage charity and education and charitable and educational enterprises and undertakings; to receive gifts, bequests and devises of property for charitable and educational uses and purposes; and to secure uniformity of purpose and of powers and duties of administration in the management and control of property so given, bequeathed or devised for charitable or educational purposes."*

Two youth organizations, Job's Daughters and the Order of DeMolay, are approved by the Grand Lodge of Utah, and it will make an effort to make the functions of these Orders better known among the constituent Lodges.

The Committee on Foreign Relations recommended recognition of Guatemala and that Japan be delayed.

The Annual Banquet was held on the evening of January 28, followed by the installation and investiture of officers.

William Ernest Cushing was elected and installed as Grand Master.

The Proceedings conclude with a listing of Officers and Members of all Lodges.

## VERMONT—1958

165th Annual Communication—June 11-12.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Alton G. Wheeler.

Loðges, 103.      Membership, 18,439.      Loss, 123.

The Grand Master was deeply grateful for the co-operation and support he had received. He paid a fitting tribute to several brethren who had passed to the Grand Lodge Above, closing it with this poetical quotation,—

*“They walked the path the great have trod,  
The great in heart, the great in mind,  
Who looked through Masonry to God  
And looked through God to all mankind,  
Learned more than sign, or word, or grip.  
Learned man’s and God’s relationship.”*

This was followed by a report on his year's activities, and the Grand Master selected a dinner at Northfield, attended by 200 members, as the outstanding meeting of his year. He was enthusiastic over the Grand Master's Conference, and spoke encouragingly about Masonic Charity. The Benevolent Fund exceeded \$200,000.00 and the Grand Master thought there should be a permanent counsellor as to its investment. He favoured a blanket liability insurance policy in the name of Grand Lodge covering it and all constituent Loðges.

The greatest problem of the age was presented by M.W. Bro. Wheeler in this quotation.—

*“At the present time when the conflict of ideologies is perhaps sharper than ever in world history and when the material side of life seems to override every other consideration, it is well for men and nations to reexamine themselves as to what it is they believe.*

*“It is not easy to do. Our material achievements are so impressive and our physical problems are so over-*

*whelming that we tend to lose sight of the things that really count in life and forget the ancient truth that 'Man cannot live by bread alone'.*

*"The great accomplishments of science and technology may be said to be the material strength of a land such as America, and are the safeguards of human freedom, and our strongest assurance that we can move forward constructively towards the kind of world we expect and want. Yet nations as well as individuals face the risk of a breakdown when they turn away from fundamentals, when they feed only the body and not the spirit."*

The role of Masonry in world affairs is assessed in the following remarks.

*"Masonry is the brotherhood of all men under God, and if we are to serve and perform our high mission in this world we must truly unite all men and do it while permitting them to hold their own opinion in matters of religion and government. Masonry does not attempt to unite nations, sects or religious or political factions, but it does unite men, and unites them while permitting them to still hold their individual opinions."*

The Grand Secretary presented a report covering almost ten pages, including statistics on membership and funds, dispensations, Grand Representatives appointed and approved and other matters. During the year some 90 fifty-year veterans' gold lapel buttons had been approved for presentation. He lists some 36 secretaries of Lodges who have served 10 to 33 consecutive years.

The Committee on Fraternal Relations recommended recognition of the Grand Lodge of Japan but that requests of the two Grand Lodges in Sao Paulo, Brazil, be held in abeyance.

Frank McCreary Brownell was elected and installed as Grand Master.

## VICTORIA (AUSTRALIA)—1958

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. His Excellency General Sir Dallas Brooks, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., K.C.V.O., D.S.O., K. St. J.

Lodges, 782      Membership, 114,601.      Gain, 1,810.

The Quarterly Communications of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. Victoria (Australia) are held around the middle of the months of March, June, September and December with the Grand Master on the throne. R.W. Bro. W. T. Tucker, P.D.G.M., Grand Representative of the Grand Lodge of Canada, in the Province of Ontario, was present at all four meetings.

At each quarterly the Board of General Purposes and the Board of Benevolence make interesting reports. The Board of Management of Freemasons' Hospital gives quarterly reports. During the year 1,574 patients were admitted and a total of 1,419 major and minor operations were performed. The Average Stay in the Hospital was 12 days. The completion of a new wing of the hospital has brought the capacity up to 115 beds.

The consolidated Balance Sheet shows Assets of the Grand Lodge as £1,073.879, a considerable portion of which represents Benevolent Activities. The reports of the March quarterly are generally more detailed, leaving the impression that this quarterly assumes more importance than the others, especially those of June and September. In June the Grand Treasurer reported £1,003,929 as the total of Trust Accounts for Specific Purposes, and the Credit of the General Fund as £74,300.

At each quarterly lists of "Exclusions and Restorations" for various reasons are given and the "Fraternal Dead" are duly reported. In December the Grand Master was nominated for another year's service, being the eighth year in succession.

Bro. C. W. Davis, Grand Secretary, devotes about 16 pages to his Report on Correspondence in dealing with some 21 Grand Jurisdictions. Apparently no Proceedings from the Grand Lodge of Canada were available.

**VIRGINIA—1958**

180th Annual Communication—February 11-13.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Archer B. Gay.

Lodges, 339.      Membership, 68,152.      Gain, 750.

For the meeting of February 11, 1958, M.W. Bro. Archer B. Gay, Grand Representative for Canada in Ontario, was on the throne. On the previous October 12 he had issued a proclamation calling a Commerative Communication of the Grand Lodge of Virginia in Williamsburg, where the Grand Lodge had been inaugurated in 1778.

Grand Master Gay's address on this occasion was an interssting, historical review of Masonry in Virginia, and he presented three plaques to the oldest Lodges, M.W. Bro. Gay introduced R.W. Bro. Whitfield W. Johnson, P.G.M. of Massachusetts, who delivered an excellent address on this Founders' Day Celebration. This paragraph is taken as a sample of his thoughtful treatment of Masonry.

*“Much emphasis has been placed by historians on the diversity of economic, social, religious and cultural interests and traditions and upon the prejudices and jealousies which pulled the colonies apart. It therefore behooves Masonic historians to point out the one common personal tie which bound a few men in each colony to each other in mutual respect, confidence and fraternal brotherhood.”*

The Grand Treasurer's report showed total receipts of \$340,155.98 and disbursements of \$336,144.63, including about \$40,000.00 for U.S. Treasury bills.

At the Annual Communicaation M.W. Bro. Gay delivered a lengthy and informative report on his year's stewardship. He paid a fitting tribute to the fraternal dead, and was very pleased with the co-operation he received from all his officers, and especially his District Deputy Grand Masters. He made many visits in

Virginia and several to other Grand Jurisdictions. He constituted two new Lodges and issued a dispensation for the creation of another. He praised the Virginia "Masonic Herald", and favoured more Masonic Research and Education. He has made quite an effort to develop benevolence, especially by making the Masonic Home of Virginia better known. The following quotation emphasizes the state of Freemasonry.

*"Freemasonry has, as a part of her mission, the art of teaching. We teach many things. We begin with the catechism of the Entered Apprentice Degree and progressing from that point, her votaries may move into the realms of profound philosophy. Ritualistic teaching, therefore, has an honored place in our plan, for it marks the point of the beginning of knowledge."*

He concluded his address with hope for the future.

*"Let us be as men with a vision, as builders who see in the imperfect stone the walls of a mighty cathedral. Let us go forward into the future with the light of a holy fire in our eyes, as men determined to build anew the temple of tomorrow by the deeds which we do today. Thus seeking, trusting in the goodness of God and building according to the plans laid down on the trestle board shall we glorify the Supreme Grand Master in this world and the next."*

Some 436 pages of the Proceedings are devoted to the Rosters of various Working Lodges, several to reports of the District Deputy Grand Masters, and seven to "In Memoriam."

Earl Stanley Wallace was elected and installed as Grand Master.

### WASHINGTON—1958

101st Annual Communication—June 17-18.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Walter T. Higgins.  
Lodges, 280.      Membership, 69,285.      Gain, 56.

The Proceedings open with a biographical account of the Grand Master with special emphasis on his Masonic

interests. The following excerpts indicate the regard with which he is held by his brethren.

*"In the office of Grand Master he displayed boundless interest and enthusiasm, an abiding faith in the inherent goodness of his fellowmen, a devotion to duty that permitted of no favoritism or partiality, an eagerness to counsel with his brethren on all occasions and a willingness to assume responsibility at all times. He is totally devoid of all undue ostentation and his genial smile, gracious demeanor and pleasing personality have won him a host of friends everywhere."*

Only some 13 Lodges were not represented at this annual session. Among the Grand Representatives, M.W. Bro. Ford Q. Elvidge responded to the roll call for Canada in Ontario.

The Grand Master's address was a factual report of his year's service and gave the impression that Masonry was in a healthy condition in Washington, and that the finances of Grand Lodge were excellent. Among his visits were meetings at twelve Lodges in Alaska.

The total assets of the Grand Lodge are \$3,182,015.13 with no Liabilities. This sum includes \$2,253,772.11 of the Masonic Home endowment Fund.

The Grand Orator, V.W. Bro. Elmer C. Huntley, spoke on several facets of Freemasonry, emphasizing that Masonry is a movement that will never outlive its usefulness because it calls men together on the level. He believes that participation, compassion and resilience are the three main ingredients which keep any movement alive.

The Fraternal Correspondent, M.W. Bro. Fred Winkles, recommended recognition of Grand Lodge Swiss Alpine, and the Grand Lodge of the Netherlands, but urged that the requests of Gran Logia de Sao Paulo, Brazil, be denied and that no action be taken on the Gran Logia de la Republica de Venezuela.

Thirty-six pages are devoted to the reviews of the Proceedings of many Grand Lodges, including an inter-

esing "Foreword". Rulings by the Grand Lodge of Canada (Ontario) are recorded,—on new building programmes, and on the denial of the use of recordings in the ceremonies.

The Masonic Home has 159 residents, 42 men and 117 women, the average age being 82.25 years. A Special Committee of the Needs of Older Members made an interesting report urging generous consideration of indigent Masons and their relatives.

The report on Masonic Research and Education showed much activity by the Committee. Some ten recordings of interesting addresses are available for distribution.

The Grand Historian, W. Bro. Robert B. Anderson, made a complete report on Lodges which have disappeared, or were consolidated with others.

Dr. Frank M. Fulton was elected and installed as Grand Master for the ensuing year.

### WESTERN AUSTRALIA—1957

Quarterly Meetings—August, November, February, May.

Grand Master—Lieut.-Gen. Sir Charles Gairdner.

Lodges, 302.      Membership, 21,953.      Gain, 392.

The Grand Lodge of Western Australia was inaugurated on February 27, 1900, with a membership of some 2,000 which was increased to 2,584 by the end of the year. Since then there have been annual increases except in five years.

The May quarterly also serves as the Annual Meeting of the Grand Jurisdiction. At the four quarterly meetings of the Grand Lodge, excellent reports are submitted by the Board of General Purposes and the Board of Management of the Western Australia Widows, Orphans and Aged Freemasons Fund.

The Fund of General Purposes showed expenditures of slightly over £15,235 and a balance of £3,559. The Grand Lodge has around £288,552 in various investments. The several benevolent funds contribute to the support of 38 children, 17 aged Freemasons and 87 widows of Freemasons, requiring an expenditure of £10,485.

It had been the procedure in Western Australia to circulate the Charity Box prior to its presentation to the candidate. In 1951 the Board of General Purposes advised Lodges that it deprecated the procedure, and in August, 1956, the practice was expressly forbidden. Reduction of the embarrassment of the candidate is generally commendable!

During the year 274 Lodges were visited by Grand Lodge Officers and some 199 dispensations were issued for various purposes. Fraternal recognition was approved for the Grand Lodges of Norway and Venezuela.

The Grand Master was re-elected and proclaimed for another year. He named M.W. Bro. (Dr.) J. L. Rossiter as Pro Grand Master for 1957-58.

Some 17 pages are devoted to the review of proceedings arranged under various topics. Under the heading, "Nature of Freemasonry", ample quotations are recorded from the addresses of the Grand Master of Alberta and of M.W. Bro., Most Reverend W. L. Wright, then Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Canada (Ontario).

## WEST VIRGINIA—1958

94th Annual Communication—October 15-16.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Wm. W. Roberts.

Lodges, 163.      Membership, 48,914.      Gain, 381.

Early in the proceedings the Grand Master welcomed visitors and Representatives of other Grand Lodges, among whom was Bro. Turney R. Reed, Grand Representative of the Grand Lodge of Canada (in Ontario).

The Grand Master's Address gave a complete outline of his various visits, decisions and dispensations. He described Masonry in West Virginia as follows,—

*"The brethren of this Grand Jurisdiction exemplify a high degree of morality and strength of character as they labor valiantly in the vineyards of Masonic truth. It may be truly said that they have learned that the Plumb of Life admonished them to walk uprightly in their several stations before God and man, and to square their actions by the Square of Virtue. Such sterling qualities of manhood are uplifting to our generation, and a Mason who is so possessed with these virtues, is likened unto a towering monument that has strength to stand firm and intact against the forces of evil and the ravages of time. May each of our brethren resolve anew to inculcate within his heart and soul a greater desire to excel in the practice of Masonic virtue as he travels Life's pathway."*

He decided that the petition of one who has been rejected by another Lodge in this or any other Grand Jurisdiction may not be received until at least three years shall have elapsed except by the consent of the Lodge that rejected him.

He also claimed that a brother Mason who owes dues is entitled to a Masonic funeral provided he has not been suspended for non-payment of dues.

The Grand Master issued several edicts covering Un-masonic Conduct, on Illegally-made Masons and on Official Misconduct. These decisions cover some 18 pages of the Proceedings.

Special Communications were held for four dedications and one for laying a corner-stone. The Grand Master made some 29 visitations in West Virginia and eight outside the State.

The Grand Lecturer, M.W. Bro. Gilbert E. Griffin, made an excellent report in which he condemned carelessness in dress at Lodge Meetings in these words,—

*"Informal and sloppy dress almost invariably insures informal and sloppy degree work."*

The Deputy Lecturers held eighty-nine schools of instruction during the year. 347 Worshipful Masters 260 Senior Wardens, 246 Junior Wardens, 741 Past Masters and 1,630 Secretaries attended these meetings.

The Masonic Home is evidently an excellent institution. Total receipts for its maintenance were \$77,883.88, all of which was disbursed except about \$14,000.00.

Wm. R. Loper, was duly installed as Grand Master. A brief biography of the new ruler of the Craft forms the "foreword" to the proceedings.

## WISCONSIN—1958

114th Annual Communication—June 10-11.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Alf. E. Anderson,  
Lodges, 307 (1 U.D.) Membership, 64,674. Loss, 125.

Among the distinguished guests presented to the Grand Master were M.W. Bro. Harry L. Martyn, Grand Master, and R.W. Bro. E. G. Dixon, Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge of Canada, in the Province of Ontario.

Grand Lodge collects \$3.85 dues per member or a total of \$265,483.60 of which \$16,309.00 go to the Charity Fund and \$156,566.40 to the Masonic Home Maintenance. Fixed assets of the Wisconsin Masonic Home and Hospital property and the Grand Lodge Building are \$596,162.47. The sum invested in various funds is \$1,514,709.68.

Wisconsin is very strict regarding alcohol. A man elected to receive the degrees was afterwards discovered to be employed at a resort that sells intoxicating liquors and he dispenses beer and liquor at times. It was

ruled that the Lodge had no authority to receive or act upon a petition from a person so employed. The Master had to declare the election null and return the fee.

Two Hundred and Thirty-two recipients of Fifty-year Certificates are listed. The Grand Master presented one to a brother who had served 67 years.

The incoming Grand Master was left to perform certain duties among which were the appointment of several committees. One was to study the various District Deputy systems and to recommend to the next Annual Communication of Grand Lodge. Another committee was to study and recommend in reference to the establishing of an endowment Fund for the needs of the Home.

The Grand Secretary presented a complete report including lists of publications available for distribution, free and by sale, from his office. Some 23,600 Masons in Wisconsin subscribed for "The Wisconsin Freemason". The editors are highly commended for many fine articles. Master Masons receive this official publication without charge upon request.

Several pages of the Proceedings are devoted to many resolutions and to grievances and appeals.

Memorial Tablets and Markers were erected and unveiled by the Grand Master, one for the Masonic Home and one for the first Grand Tyler, Bro. Ebenezer Clewett.

The Grand Lecturer was impressed by the improved floor and rod work, but indicated further need for improvement in many Lodges. He lists Proficiency Men in three pages and Ritualists on four.

The Committee on Foreign Relations recommended recognition of the Grand Lodge of France if investigations proved favourable. The Grand Lodges of Sao Paulo and of Bolivia were favoured for recognition and exchange of representatives.

Gilbert J. Schwartz was elected and installed as Grand Master for 1958-1959.

Over forty pages are used in the report of the Committee on Foreign Correspondence. Several topics are considered and at the end a few Grand Lodges receive individual treatment. It is interesting to note quotations of considerable length from addresses of Grand Master Rev. E. C. Evans of Prince Edward Island, Grand Master Most Rev. W. L. Wright of Canada in Ontario, and Grand Master Rev. Arthur E. Coleman of New Brunswick. Great emphasis is placed on Masonic Education.

### WYOMING—1958

84th Annual Communication—August 25-26.

Grand Master—M.W. Bro. Harold H. Saunders.  
Lodges, 52.      Membership, 12,831.      Gain, 112.

The Proceedings begin by recounting "A few Events in the Life of Floyd Holland", the Grand Master, elected and installed for 1959. This introduction is followed by reports of five Special Communications, three for laying cornerstones and one each for the installation of officers and the constitution of a Lodge.

The Annual Communication was held at Cody, Wyoming, and was presided over by the Grand Master. Among the distinguished visitors was Governor Mildward L. Simpson. The Credentials Committee reported the attendance of 50 Lodges represented by 207 votes.

The Grand Master's address was condensed to some seven pages, including a list of the official visits to all Wyoming Lodges. Reference is made to 210 brethren who died during the year. The Grand Master issued 13 dispensations and praised the History of the Grand Lodge of Wyoming prepared by the Grand Historian, Bro. Dr. Walter C. Reusser. He also presented some 27 fifty-year Masonic Buttons. He was greatly im-

pressed by the Grand Masters' Conference in Washington, D.C.

The Grand Secretary was honored by a surprise award known as "Big Medal of Honor" from the Grand Lodge of Germany. He reported that the Grand Lodge of Wyoming, in seventeen years, had contributed \$78,916.18 to the Hospital Visitation Program of the Masonic Service Association, the current year's donation being \$6,618.55.

The Grand Treasurer reported total receipts at \$29,457.65 and disbursements of \$28,251.05. The Cash Balance in the bank was \$27,387.09, and in addition, the Grand Lodge has \$30,000.00 in U.S. Savings Bonds. The total Assets of the Wyoming Masonic Home Foundation are listed as \$197,741.11. The Grand Librarian showed a balance of \$32.50 from his grant of \$75.00.

The Chairman of the Committee on Fraternal Dead, quoted these passages of Scripture in an introduction to his report.

*"And I heard a great voice out of Heaven saying, Behold, the tabernacle of God is with men. He will dwell with them, and they shall be His people, and God himself shall be with them, and be their God."*

*"And God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes: and there shall be no more death, neither sorrow, nor crying, neither shall there be any more pain; for former things are passed away."*

The Director of Masonic Education concludes his interesting report with a quotation from John Ruskin.

*"Therefore when we build, let us think that we build for eternity. Let it not be for present delight nor for present use alone, but let it be of such work as our descendants will thank us for; and let us think as we lay stone upon stone, that a time will come when these stones will be held sacred because our hands have touched them and men will say as they look upon the labour that wrought them, 'See! this, our fathers did for us'".*

The Committee on Fraternal Correspondence and Recognition reported favourably on extension of recognition to Guatemala and Japan.

**APPENDIX**  
**GRAND MASTER'S BANQUET**  
**Royal York Hotel, Toronto, Ontario**  
**July 15th, 1959**

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M.W. Bro. Archbishop W. L. WRIGHT:

Most Worshipful Grand Master, Distinguished Guests, and Brethren: For many years the Grand Master's Dinner has been the fitting culmination of mutual fellowship and profitable deliberation with our Annual Grand Lodge Communication. Possibly the chief reason for this is that at the Annual Dinner we are privileged in welcoming guest speakers who are well-skilled in portraying the various facets of our Masonic philosophy. We have such a distinguished brother in our midst this evening. The foresight and the wisdom of M.W. Bro. Martyn in placing his seal of approval on our guest speaker, Doctor Chable, is symptomatic, I believe, of the thorough manner in which the Grand Master has discharged the duties of his high office during the past two years.

Our guest, R.W. Bro. Doctor Chable, possesses outstanding academic, Masonic, theological, civic and literary gifts. He was born in Cleveland, Ohio, in 1920, where he received his public and high school education. He received his Master of Arts Degree and also his Doctor of Philosophy Degree from Columbia University.

It is interesting to note that from the years 1954 to 1957 he served on the staff of Hillsdale College, Michigan, being Director of Student Personnel and Dean of Men, and, possibly more important, Associate Professor of History, and for the past two years Dr. Chable has been the Acting Registrar and Professor of Philosophy and Religion at Rio Grande College, Rio Grande, Ohio.

Doctor Chable's present position is Business Representative and Public Relations Officer of the Venice-Nokomis Bank, Venice, Florida. I am sure you would all desire Dr. Chable to outline the terms of reference which mark such an illustrious position and tell us briefly what is involved in his present office.

He, by the way, is a member of the Southern Baptist Convention.

The Masonic record of Doctor Chable is most illustrious. I cannot begin this evening to exhaust all the Masonic offices which he has held, and which he now holds. He is

a member of Newburgh Lodge, Cleveland, Ohio, a member and former officer of Baker Chapter, Royal Arch Masons, Cleveland; member of The Knights' Templar and also the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite, from the Valley of Rochester. He is also a 33° Mason, being a member of The Supreme Council of the Northern Jurisdiction of the United States of America.

Our speaker has published many poems, sermons, and addresses. His gifts, one can see, are inexhaustible. His career has been incredible, and one can readily understand that the honoured destiny to which he has reached, is inevitable. In all, he possesses a versatile personality and it is our distinct honour this evening to have him in our midst as he addresses us on the subject of "The Philosophy of Freemasonry." It is my great privilege and honour to present to you R.W. Bro. Dr. Robert Chable.

Dr. ROBERT CHABLE:

Thank you, Most Worshipful and Most Reverend Sir. Most Worshipful Grand Master, M.W. Sirs, R.W. Sirs, W. Sirs, Wardens and Brethren all: It was with the keenest of expectancy that I anticipated the privilege and pleasure of coming here, not only to be with you but also to catch something at least of a bit of historical significance in my own family.

From the time I was four years of age my grandfather trained me very strictly and was a great disciplinarian for the use of proper grammar and adequate speech. But he took his graduate work in theology here in Ontario, and was very proud to be an alumnus of McMaster University before it moved to Hamilton many years ago.

I recall having heard him say, until the day he died, how much he thought of the Muskoka Lakes because that was the area in which he spent every one of his holidays. I have never had the privilege of seeing McMaster, where he went; I have never had the opportunity to see the Muskoka Lakes. But in any event coming here has given me the chance to re-live something of his life when as a boy he came from Wales and went to Bucknell in the United States for college, then to McMaster University for his theology, then to Morgan Park in Chicago. But I think there's none of you in the room can love Canada with a more passionate love than he did.

I should like to say, also, that I am highly honoured, but somewhat dismayed, to be in the position I find myself because about eight months ago, or so, R.W. Bro. Dixon, your very capable Grand Secretary, invited me to come with the approval of your personable Grand Master, but he said

at the time, "we would like you to give the address which you gave at the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts a year or two ago. I promised him I would do so. But what happens? The M.W. Past Grand Master and present Grand Secretary would be here, Bro. Gay is here—he was there. Last night at the dinner I looked around and I think I see a half-a-dozen of you who have been either in Massachusetts or other States and, of all these guests, I find there are only three of you in whose States I have not been before. So I would remind you that if anything seems repetitive to-night, my brethren, that in the Synagogue of The First Century Palestine they said that "repetition is the soul of learning."

Now, unless you take me too seriously and be unduly impressed, I want to share with you a story that will put me, at least, in your eyes, in proper perspective. It is, I think, my most delightful experience I have had thus far in all of my Masonic travels which have taken me literally from Canada to Mexico; and this happened in the jurisdiction of M.W. Bro. Jones here, because some years ago at Cooperstown, New York, where the Baseball Hall of Fame is, I had just finished speaking in the amphitheatre of Coopers Park, and my wife and I had returned to the old Saga Hotel there, and were just coming down the corridor about to go to the dining room for dinner, when a diminutive stature of man rushed up to us and in great over-exuberance, said "Oh, sir, that was wonderful, that was magnificent, simply marvellous." He said "let me tell you sir, I'm from New York City and in New York every May on Ascension Day we have a great service in the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, and the Knights' Templar from all over the metropolitan area of New York attend it", and then he looked at me wistfully and he said, "oh, sir, I wish we could have you speak at one of those services instead of these awful jokers we've been having." I looked at him rather steadily and I said "thank you very much, my brother; you might be interested to know that it was I who gave the address on that occasion last year." And then he recouped rather diplomatically and said "you know, sir, it's 601 feet long from the narthex to the altar and I guess you were so far away I simply didn't recognize you and it was a case of mistaken identity."

I had a very humorous case of mistaken identity that occurred about two years ago, and I think some of you will find it amusing. I told your Sovereign Grand Commander, Ill. Bro. Simpson, about it last night because at the time I was speaking at their annual reunion dinner of the Scottish Rite Valley of Detroit and during the course of the afternoon and the early evening at various times I had at least eight different men come up to me and they all said the same thing, "oh, sir, you were simply marvellous in your portrayal of that role last night" and I'd say, "I'm very sorry, because

I wasn't even here last night and it is someone else who should be receiving your compliments." Well, the dinner progressed and they introduced the Sovereign Grand Commander of the A. & A.S.R., for the Dominion of Canada, who at that time was Ill. Bro. Thomas Kingsmill Wade, and then in the introduction it was said that "none of us who were here last night will ever forget his marvellous portrayal in that degree." Well, I turned to see who it was and it was your Sovereign Grand Commander, Thomas Kingsmill Wade, and if you know T. K. Wade and look at me you will find there's quite a disparity in our ages and he could be my father, but at least I found it highly amusing that they thought it was I who had taken the part that the Sovereign Grand Commander of Canada had taken in the degree in Detroit.

Now, brethren, I want to ask you to-night a very profound question; I want to ask you one of the most searching questions which can ever confront a Mason, and that is this: "What do you honestly believe is the real philosophy of Freemasonry?"

Now you may think about this word "philosophy" what some people have said about psychology that says "psychology says what everyone knows in language which no one understands." And yet if I were to ask you what is your own philosophy of life you might say "well, I guess I just don't have one." But you would be very wrong, for there is a sum total of things which you do believe and which you use as a guide to orient your own activities day by day, and for all practical purposes this is your own philosophy of life. But just as individuals have philosophies, so do institutions, and Freemasonry has one which is very definite—I ask you what you think it is?

Now in the next few minutes I want to suggest to you four basic philosophies, each one of which is as old as the dawn of reported human history, and each one of which is also as modern as tomorrow. As I would suggest them to you I would have you ask yourselves, "is this the philosophy of Freemasonry," and the first one is "The Philosophy of Power."

Now the people who believe in this philosophy have a very simple motto, and their motto is that "might makes right." This is the philosophy of every dictator, of every tyrant, of every war-lord and every despot the world has ever known, the philosophy of Alexander the Great who wept because there were presumably no more worlds to conquer; it was the philosophy of Hannibal, who sent his elephants charging across the Alps; it was the philosophy of Julius Caesar, whose soldiers of fortune followed the eagles of Rome all over the Mediterranean world; it was

the philosophy of Tamerlane, of Genghis Khan, whose Mongol hordes came crashing across the Asiatic steppes and caused the downfall of the empire; it was the philosophy of Attila who gave the word "Hun" such a dread name in the English language; it was the philosophy of Torquemada and his infamous Spanish Inquisition; of Bismarck who prided himself on being called "The blood and iron Chancellor"; of Napoleon; and in our own day it was the philosophy of Hitler and Stalin and Mussolini. Every one of these I have mentioned lived and died believing in a philosophy —a philosophy of power in maintaining that "Might makes Right."

Hundreds of years ago a man by the name of Machiavelli wrote a book called "The Prince". You may have never heard of Machiavelli; you may have never heard of that book; but almost since the day it was written it has been a veritable bible for naked conquest and for triumph of brute force. And then in the nineteenth century in Germany there came along a German philosopher by the name of Friedric Nietzsche and he wrote a number of books, one of them called, in the English translation of it, "Man and Superman." Now this was long before the days of the contemporary strip character by the name, but Nietzsche's superman was that man who could successfully hold in his grasp ever-increasing numbers of people and absolutely and permanently control them.

You may have never heard of Friedric Nietzsche or read his book, but two other men did and they were profoundly influenced by what they read there. The name of the one who read it was Frederick Engels and the name of the other was Karl Marx, and communism as we know it to-day is a direct outgrowth of the influence of Nietzsche's book, of Marx and Engels who later published the Communist Manifesto.

Is this the philosophy of Masonry, my brethren? No, because Masonry knows that if history proves anything that was ever said to be true, the words of His Lordship, Lord Acton, uttered many long years ago were true, for Lord Acton wrote that "power corrupts, and absolute power corrupts absolutely." And this was woven into the warp and woof of the fabric of your own government. That lesson was made so vividly clear to me last year as I sat in your own Parliament in Ottawa and heard the debate going on and heard your own inimitable Lester Pearson representing so eloquently the loyal opposition and, as you know, in our own country it is the very part and parcel of a system of checks and balances, so that in Canada and the United States no man or no small group of men can ever become too powerful, knowing that the more power that is concentrated into human hands, the more likely those hands

are to be corrupted by it. And I suggest to you that the philosophy of power can never be the philosophy of Freemasonry because we, as men and Masons, have learned well Lord Acton's lesson that "power corrupts and absolute power corrupts absolutely."

The second philosophy that I want to suggest to you is "The Philosophy of Pleasure" and just as those who worship a philosophy of power believe that might makes right, those who follow a philosophy of pleasure and who make the worship of pleasure an absolute end in itself and who worship pleasure only for pleasure's sake, have their own creed and their own motto.

Two thousand years ago on the streets of Ancient Greece and Rome there was a group of people called the Hedonists, and the creed of the Hedonists was very simple; "Eat, drink, and be merry; for tomorrow we die." And so the Roman people, as you know your history and as I know mine, cry more and more for bread and circuses, a full belly and a good show, and they never realized how much of their freedom they were losing under imperial Rome.

And then of course, hundreds of years later a Persian mystical poet came along and he did not say one thing different from what the whole Graeco-Roman Hedonists said hundreds of years before his time, but the Persian mystical poet, Omar Khayyam, in his Rubaiyat wrote:

"And ere the cock crow, those who stood before  
The tavern shouted, "Open up the door.  
You know how little while we have to stay,  
And once departed, may return no more."

In every age, in every celebration in every nation, there are always those who are standing at the doors of the tavern shouting "Open up, you know how little while we have to stay, and once departed will return no more."

A few years ago I saw one of the greatest examples of irony I have ever seen in print; it was in Life Magazine. I have never enquired, so I do not know, whether it was done deliberately or if it was merely a fortuitous accident. But in any event, as I opened that issue of Life there on the one side of a double page was a picture of a woman, a woman known to all of us in this room; she was garbed in an outlandish pseudo-naval costume and she was standing on the deck of a yacht anchored off the Cote d'Azur of the blue Mediterranean Sea, and the caption under the picture, underneath it, said that she was standing there waiting to pipe aboard the members of what is known as the "international set." And this woman who is known as the world's greatest party giver loves nothing so much as to tie a

balloon to her bustle, come bouncing into a room, and the famous Elsa Maxwell party has begun. And I thought, Elsa, I can get along without you all right.

And then on the other half of that double page spread of Life Magazine was another picture—we have representatives of the State here in which that picture was taken—it was a picture of a mother and a father sitting on some old wooden chairs in the backwoods area of Maryland, and they were surrounded by twelve fine looking children standing in a semi-circle behind them. Why were their pictures in Life Magazine? Because even though in his entire working lifetime that little old father in Maryland had never made a salary of more than \$80. a week, every single one of those twelve children had been put through college; some of them even had their Master's Degree—most of them did, and some of them had even achieved their Doctorates. The little mother was asked, "how in the world on a salary like that did you do it?" And she said "Well, I tells you sir, we skimped and we scraped something powerful over the years, but we got the first one through. Then", she said, "we had one to help us get the next one through; then we had two to help us get the third one through and finally", she said, "Praise de Lord, we got them all through and," she said, "all through those years we ate an awful lot of stew."

Now, brethren, I don't know what you think about stew? Maybe you think about stew what I think about cottage cheese, and I think it was cottage cheese, Archbishop, that the author of the Book of Revelation in the Bible was talking about when he called it "**The abomination of desolation** standing where it ought not."

But in any event they had eaten an awful lot of stew. And I held the two pictures side by side, the world's greatest party giver, and on the next page a symbol of terrible, awful, ungrowing sacrifice, and I said to myself, "here is a comparison of values, here is a comparison in judgment; is the world likely to be better off because of its present day Hedonists like Elsa Maxwell, Mike Todd, Tommy Manville, and ever so many more, or is the world likely to be better because of the humble, simple, sacrifice of those two little parents in the hinterland of Maryland?"

And then a few years ago, of all places, the Readers' Digest came out with an article written by one who is supposed to be America's greatest showman, and he did not say in his article one thing different from what the old Graeco-Roman Hedonists were saying two thousand years ago, or what Omar Khayyam said in the Rubaiyat, but he put it into a good mid-twentieth century catch phrase, and hundreds of thousands of Americans, like so many parrots, begin to repeat it without thinking what they are honestly

and actually saying. The author was Billy Rose, and the catch phrase was: "Enjoy yourself, it's later than you think."

Now, my brethren, what is the difference between saying as the old Graeco-Roman Hedonists did "Eat, drink and be merry for tomorrow you may die", or saying with Omar Khayyam,

"And ere the cock crow, those who stood before  
The Tavern shouted, "Open up the door.  
You know how little while we have to stay,  
And once departed, may return no more."

Or saying with Billy Rose in the mid-1950's "Enjoy yourself, it's later than you think."

Now, brethren, it has never been so easy to do it, to follow the contemporary creed. All you have got to do is to use your religion that way, if you want to. The Hindu mystic concentration is on his nails, or on a point between his eyes and his forehead and goes through all sorts of disciplines in his religion in order to achieve Nirvana, in order to attain that never-never land of perpetual bliss. You can use religion if you believe as the Hindu mystic does, that the world is the prison of your soul and the tool of your spirit, and then you can simply enjoy yourself in something like that, because you are more concerned with pie in the sky, bye and bye.

Is this the philosophy of Masonry? Do Masons worship a philosophy of pleasure? No, because if that were the philosophy of Masonry, my brethren, then we should be something other than Masons because we would be what those always are who worship at the shrine of pleasure only for pleasure's sake, and who make the worship of pleasure an absolute end in itself. If that were the philosophy of Masonry, then we should be what these Hedonists are, parasites on the tree of society, sucking the sap, but giving nothing in return.

The third one I want to suggest to you tonight and ask you is this the philosophy of Masonry, is the Philosophy of Withdrawal, of running away from life, and the people who follow this philosophy don't have a motto; they have a theme song and it's a theme song we all love to sing; it's all right to sing it so long as we don't live it, and that is, "let the rest of the world go by." In other words when life gets cold and tough and hard and cruel, and when you feel as if somehow this ever-increasing pace of allegro, which is the tempo of our age, has somehow got us caught in a maelstrom of activity and is sucking us down into its depths, when you feel that you cannot keep up the tempo or the peace any longer, then the temptation is a real one, and

it's subtle, and it's the viper that crawls out of the fire and fixes itself to our hands, to let the rest of the world go by, to run away from life.

And there are many ways it's done today. I will suggest one—again it applies in religion. You see, if you believe that the world is the prisoner of your spirit, the tool of your soul, and you want to get away from it, there'll be a pie in the sky, bye and bye, or like the Hindu mystic does, you don't do very much to improve society around you where men live and have their being. That is why India endured a caste system for 5,000 years, and why those of us in the States have poured millions into the Point-Four Programme to teach her how to do modern agricultural methods, how to industrialize herself, because you don't do much to improve life if you run away from it, if your philosophy is one of letting the rest of the world go by.

You can come all the way down the other end of the ladder and you can also do it other ways, and people are doing it all the time. You may again follow old Omar who said: "Come take the cup that clears today of past regrets, and tomorrow of future fears." In other words become a chronic alcoholic. Why does the chronic alcoholic become what he becomes? Because he can't stand life any longer; he can't face it clearly and have the challenge of seeing it whole; and so he wants more than anything else to run away from life, to let the rest of the world go by, and he finds in his chronic alcoholism that old Omar knew just what he was talking about, and that it does for him just what it was supposed to do; it becomes a cup that clears today of past regrets and tomorrow of future fears. Chronic alcoholism is psychologically what we call an escape mechanism, an attempt to let the rest of the world go by.

And there is one more way you can do it. You can today take in your hand the dread hypodermic needle, and you can inject it into your flesh and send into your blood stream the narcotic drug and become a narcotic addict. Why does someone become a narcotic addict? Because they cannot stand life any longer, they want to get away from it all, and so they use the narcotic to launch them into some limbo where nothing bothers them, and where they can let the rest of the world go by.

Is this the Philosophy of Masonry? No, but some Masons are being bitten by it in other ways. M. Wor. Bro. White, my immediate predecessor, and John W. Barkley, the Grand Master of Ohio—I accepted an invitation to have lunch with him a couple of years ago at the Union Club in Cleveland, and he told me that he had just made a survey, and he told me that he didn't think Ohio was any different from any other State. He found that at an average meeting

of a symbolic lodge, less than 5 percent of the members of the lodge were usually present. Many of us are becoming too concerned; we are clothing ourselves in our travellers drapes and are being glued to our television and our radio and our phonograph sets, and keeping our left-overs in the refrigerator—and now in the freezer—and who doesn't wish that they didn't keep so long? We are all becoming bitten, perhaps, in a subtle way, to let the rest of the world go by.

Is this the philosophy of Masonry, brethren? No, because I think if it were, Masonry could never give its resounding affirmative to the oldest question asked by ancient man, the question of Cain—"am I my brother's keeper?" You never solve a problem by avoiding it; you never improve a human situation by evading it; and the answer that we have always given, "yes, we are our brother's keeper," but you cannot be your brother's keeper if you want to let the rest of the world go by. The answer I think we find as men and Masons in the words of an old well-loved hymn:

"O, Master, from the mountain side  
Make haste to heal these hearts of pain,  
Alone the restless throngs abide,  
O tread the cities' streets again  
Till sons of men have learned Thy love,  
And follow where Thy feet have trod  
Till glorious from the heaven above  
Shall come the City of our God."

The City of God, my brethren, and the Kingdom of God, is never built by those whose philosophy is one of letting the rest of the world go by.

Now my last one. This involves a word that I think you must have heard ad infinitum and ad nauseum. Both Bro. Copus and I were discussing democracy and how people do not know what it is. Many people are talking about this to-day; they refer to it glibly but never bother to define it. My fourth and last one is "The Philosophy of Materialism."

Now what do we mean by this? Let me give you a very simple definition: Materialism looks at a man in terms of what he owns rather than in terms of what he is. In order to dramatize it I shall paraphrase a story: This man was a farmer, a particularly prosperous farmer, and he had tremendous land. I imagine good rich fertile muck or soil, and one day he looked it over and said, "Do you know what I'm going to do on this land? I'm going to tear down these barns and build bigger and bigger barns, raise more and more crops, hire more and more hired hands, until I have raised every single bit I can and have it all stored up in my huge new barns, and when that is all done I shall

say to myself, 'now lookit here, buster, you've got all this stored up for your future security, take it easy.' " And, my brethren, he said it with the greatest life ever lived, and life turned on him and said an awful thing: "But fellow tonight, this very night, your soul is going to be required of you." Then came one of the most searing questions that has ever fallen from trembling human lips—the question—then whose will these be?

My brethren, this man for two thousand years of history has been known as the rich fool, and the question he was asked then is a question that will come to every one of us when one of two things happen to us, and I hope, and pray to God that none of you will ever face what Mrs. Chable and I did a number of years ago when we found that there would be, because there could be, no children. And then you look at your sterling silver and look at your crystal, and you look at all the other things you have, and an awful question hits—"whose will these things be?"

Or you come to that period where time takes a silver brush in hand and paints your hair, or where your eyesight falters, and your hearing falters, and your steps grow weak, and then once more you face this. My wonderful saintly mother-in-law faced it for she was the wife of a small town country parson in up-State New York, and he always wanted a small town and country charge and not in the city. But in the first charge he had, his salary was \$400. a year, and the people brought produce from the farms in for the parson's table and at Christmas they gave them an old fashioned but beautiful sideboard. I remember my mother-in-law, a year before her death, saying to me, "you know, we love our things because they always remind dad and me of the wonderful sheep to whom we were shepherd and shepherdess for so many years, and I wonder if my girls will appreciate them as well as I do?" The question had hit her—whose will these things be? And should you, as I hope, my beloved brethren, visit our home in that golden peninsula of Florida, where you will be most welcome I assure you, you will see in our dining room an old fashioned sideboard, modernized a bit, but we like to think that mother would want to know it was there and that the girls understood the sacrifice it represented.

And so, my brethren, is this the philosophy of Masonry? Does Masonry evaluate people in terms of what they own rather than in terms of what they are? No; but where is the proof? The proof that the philosophy of materialism has never been and is not now, and can never be, the philosophy of Masonry, is to be found of course where all things are founded in our Entered Apprentice Degree, for whether it be the king from the palace, or the labourer from the cot, whether it is the millionaire or the pauper, everyone who

enters our sacred portals enters them the same way. He is divested of the same things, and is told that Masonry does not regard the outward appearance of a man; it's what the man is and not what the man owns that counts with us, and that is Masonry's answer to the false philosophy of materialism.

So I told you, my brethren, I would suggest four philosophies tonight and I would ask you to choose which you believed was the philosophy of Freemasonry: The philosophy of power that says "might makes right"; the philosophy of pleasure that says "enjoy yourself, it's later than you think"; the philosophy of withdrawal that says "let the rest of the world go by"; or the philosophy of materialism that evaluates people in terms of what they own rather than in terms of what they are? You don't want any of them, do you? For none of these is the philosophy of Masonry,—Then what is?

My brethren, I have set up for you four strong men and have knocked them all down; for the philosophy of Masonry is the only philosophy that has ever worked in this world; it's working now, or will ever work in the future, and this is the philosophy of love.

Now what do I mean by the Philosophy of Love? I do not mean that rather silly, puppyish, overly-sentimental type of thing that our grandparents called "sparking", then they called it "spooning", then they called it "necking" and in my teens we called it "pitching a little woo" and, today, take it from an ex-college Dean, you don't dig it that way any more, you now say, "let's play a little lucky-face"—I found that out.

I took some of my former students on a conference trip with me to New York and, believe me, it was I who got the education. I used to say with great temerity to Mrs. Chable "honey, could I have a little kiss?" but you don't dig it that way any more, brethren, take it from an ex-college Dean who knows. Today in jive talk in this crazy age you say, "come on, babe, pucker up your chops and let me draw on them."

Well, my brethren, that's not what I mean. When I refer to the philosophy of love I mean love understood as the real love can only be understood in terms of sacrifice, for real love always means sacrifice, whether it is the mother who takes God's hand in hers and walks through the valley of the shadow so that the baby can live. One of my friends who is now past sixty-five told me that one time the most vivid picture he had of his mother was when there was almost no food to eat and the family was so poor at that time that he can remember her sitting at the table and

saying simply "I guess I'm not just hungry" and making certain the children had the food.

One sacrifices because one loves, and the greater one has the capacity for love in his heart, the greater the capacity for sacrifice, and this principle was enunciated for all time in the New Testament "Greater love hath no man than this that a man shall lay down his life for his friend,"—because he loves.

Years ago I sat in on an ordination of a young man and in his statement he said, "the cross was a symbol of how far hate could go;" and I talked to him, I said "young man, you have learned only half the lesson and the most unimportant half; come around and look at it from the other side, for the cross is a symbol of how far love will go."

And so, as Masons, we are not called upon to lay down our lives as dramatically as Jesus did on the cross, or of Joan of Arc at the stake, or Margaret Wilson whom you all know was tied to the stake in Solway Firth and was drowned by the rising tide because she refused to deny what she believed to be true. There are ways we can do it, and I shall do nothing more than enumerate them.

We practice the philosophy of love first in all of our Masonic homes, our sanatoriums, our orphanages, across the land. Secondly, we don't stop there because the New Testament said "But if you salute your brethren only, what reward have ye? what do ye more than others?" and some of the greatest things I have witnessed with my own eyes have been our Masonic charities where we lay down a little bit of ourselves.

At the head table, here tonight, there is a Grand Master of a Grand Lodge sitting whose Grand Lodge some years ago took this injunction very seriously and they raised a fantastic sum of money to find the cause, and the cure, of rheumatic fever—I was proud to have been able to contribute to it—and today rheumatic fever is not the scourge that it once was; but do you know that it is not so because a Grand Lodge here represented tonight, devoted more than a million dollars to find the cause of it, and how to cure it.

I know another Grand Masonic Body that, when it no longer needed its Tuberculosis Fund, developed a youth association movement, for youth associations, to help youngsters who will take your place and mine a generation hence.

I discovered in my travels another Grand Masonic Body who have now started research into the cause and cure of Parkinson's Disease, and then I know from my own experience the five and one-half million dollar Loan Foundation—

Educational Loan Foundation in my country, because in one year's time I saw \$5,500. come across my desk for youngsters who couldn't finance the last two years of college, who wanted to go to college desperately and couldn't see their way clear, and I was able to hand them cheques and say "Ron or Thelma"—and these are not fictitious names, they are real people—"some men who are Masons believe in you and this will see you through with their loan fund, with no interest till you graduate and then at a mere pittance."

I often think, brethren, of a surgeon's knife being wielded in one of their hands, or a clergyman meeting our deepest needs, or a nurse ministering to the sick, or a teacher inspiring our children, because we made possible over a five and one-half million dollar loan.

I sat in the Palmer House Hotel in Chicago not long ago and I had read to me, letter after letter, from people who were going blind and whose sight has been restored, or blindness has been prevented, because of the new Eye Foundation. You know, we say:

"I will lead the blind by a way they know not,  
I will lead them in paths they have not known,  
I will make dark as light before them and put  
things straight;  
These things will I do unto them and not forsake  
them."

But how much better it is to save the children of light from becoming the children of darkness. And one can go on and on, but this will suffice.

Your own Scottish Rite Supreme Council joined my Supreme Council and the Southern Supreme Council in a great research into the cause and cure of schizophrenia, the disease of the mind which fills one out of every four hospital beds on our continent, and some day a cure will be found if we work long enough and lay a little bit of ourselves down for those we love.

And lastly if you, as men and Masons, believe in the philosophy of love, you will do more than just support our institutions for our own, and more than support charities for all mankind, you will also speak the truth in love for the truth needs to be spoken, and it needs to be spoken in love.

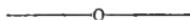
I want to pay a great compliment to M W. Bro. Copus and all his colleagues in your Fraternal Relations Committee. I listened with great interest to that report today and I came across this sentence which struck me like a brand of fire: "But if by universality we mean that we shall accept wholesale those who claim to be truly Masonic but are not

truly so, then God protect us from it." There is great wisdom in that sentence, my brethren, of your own Committee here. The truth had to be spoken. So often it needs to be spoken in love and sometimes, if we really live by it, we shall speak of truth in love fearlessly, and we shall remember the great truth of what M.W. Bro. Raymond Park Ellis said in New York one time: "That some men in Masonry can destroy in five minutes by their actions what it has taken other men a lifetime to build."

Let us think of our conduct, let us look well to our conduct, and remember to speak the truth also in love, for this is part of the philosophy of love. And when you have said it all, I think you can put the great lesson of Masonry this way:

"I want to think when life is done  
 That I have filled a needed post;  
 That here and there I've paid my fare  
 With more than idle talk and boast  
 That I have taken gifts divine,  
 The breath of life and manhood fine,  
 And that I used them now and then  
 In the service of my fellow-men.  
 I'd hate to think when life is through  
 That I had lived my round of years,  
 A useless kind which leaves behind  
 No record in this veil of tears,  
 That I had wasted all my days  
 By living in only selfish ways.  
 And that this world would be the same  
 If it had never heard my name.  
 I want to think when life is through  
 That here and there there shall remain  
 Some happier spot which might have not  
 Existed had I toiled for gain;  
 That someone's cheery voice and smile  
 Would prove that I had been worthwhile  
 And that I'd paid, with something fine,  
 My debt to God for life divine."

That, my brethren, is the Philosophy of Love, and that and that alone is the Philosophy of Freemasonry.



R.W. Bro. PITTS:

M.W. Grand Master, Distinguished Guests, R. W. Bro. Dr. Chable: On behalf of this company, Doctor, it's my very great pleasure to extend to you their grateful thanks for the inspiration that you have vouchsafed to us in this address tonight.

It has been the high privilege of the Masons of this Grand Jurisdiction at the Grand Master's Banquet to listen to inspirational addresses, that they may carry back with them to their various lodges and remote parts, perhaps, of this great Jurisdiction, the thoughts and inspiration and the core of meaning of this great fraternity to which we belong.

You have, I think, tonight, very effectively destroyed the four strong men that you built up, and you have left us with a great vision of the real heart and the real inspiration which we, as believers and as Freemasons, should be carrying on at the exemplifications in our individual lodges in the communities in which we are from, and we are very grateful to you, sir.

I recall the words of one of your American quotable poems:

“Give us great dreams, O God, while Thou art giving,  
And keep to the end; it is enough if we  
Live by the hope, not falter in the living  
That lures us on from dust to dignity.  
Give us the courage of the soul's high vision  
Though its fulfilment here we never see;  
The heart to make and keep the brave decision  
And faith to leave the ultimate with Thee.”

You have done that tonight to us, doctor. This is not the first time I have met you, and it's been a very great privilege to meet you again.

Dr. ROBERT CHABLE:

M. Wor. Grand Master, may I say a word in reply to that? I shall not bore you. You know, this is an unusual occasion in more ways than one. I want to just say to you that you have been wonderful to me, just wonderful, and you have helped me tread on hallowed ground where my grandfather did. In the words of Moses:

“Take off thy shoes from off thy feet  
For the ground on which thou standest is holy ground.”

But let me say it this way:

“Life will always need a trigger  
Like a hammer needs a nail  
Like a doctor needs a patient, and  
Like a milkmaid needs a pail;  
Like a corned beef needs a cabbage, and  
Like the oyster needs a stew;  
Can't you see it all needs something  
So Canada we need you.”

## APPENDIX

### SIXTH BIENNIAL CONFERENCE OF CANADIAN GRAND LODGES AND DISTRICT GRAND LODGES

The Sixth Biennial Conference of Canadian Grand and District Grand Lodges was held in the Ritz Carlton Hotel, Montreal, Quebec, on February 19, 20 and 21, 1959.

The following brethren were present:

#### Alberta:

D. D. McQueen, Grand Master.  
D. Little, Deputy Grand Master.  
E. H. Rivers, Grand Secretary.  
F. P. Galbraith, Past Grand Master.

#### British Columbia:

K. K. Reid, Grand Master.

#### Manitoba:

W. A. Prugh, Grand Master.  
W. D. G. Runions, Deputy Grand Master.  
T. C. Jackson, Grand Secretary.

#### New Brunswick:

D. A. Somerville, Grand Master.  
R. T. Pearson, Past Grand Master.  
A. C. Lemmon, Grand Secretary.

#### Newfoundland, (Eng.):

F. W. Clarke, Past Deputy Grand Master.  
James Arklie, Past District Steward.

#### Newfoundland, (Scot.):

W. C. Knight, District Grand Treasurer.  
B. R. Taylor, District Grand Secretary.

#### Nova Scotia:

D. M. Sinclair, Grand Master.  
R. V. Harris, Past Grand Master.  
H. F. Sipprell, Grand Secretary.  
R. R. Gordon, Past Grand Chaplain.



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H. L. Martyn, Grand Master.  
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J. A. McRae, Past Grand Master.  
N. C. Hart, Past Grand Master.  
E. G. Dixon, Grand Secretary.

**Prince Edward Island:**

E. Stetson, Grand Master.  
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**Saskatchewan:**

Richmond Mayson, Grand Master.  
M. Herman, Deputy Grand Master.  
R. A. Tate, Grand Secretary.

It was noted that the Grand Master of every Grand Lodge was present.

M.W. Bro. H. L. Martyn, Chairman of the Conference, called the meeting to order at 2 p.m. on Thursday, February 20 and R.W. Bro. E. H. Rivers, Secretary, called the roll. The Conference was then opened with an invocation by M.W. Bro. D. M. Sinclair.

The Grand Master of Quebec, M.W. Bro. J. M. Marshall, in whose jurisdiction the Conference was meeting, extended a welcome to all present and invited the members to a formal dinner to be held that evening.

The report of the Agenda Committee was presented by the Chairman, M.W. Bro. R. V. Harris and was adopted unanimously.

During the Sessions the following topics were very ably presented and discussed:

- (1) Province-wide jurisdiction for every Lodge.
- (2) The problem of the big Lodge.

## APPENDIX

- (3) What are the duties and responsibilities of an Investigating Committee?
- (4) The Masonic Funeral Service (Comments and criticisms from the standpoint of the Craft, the Church and the Public).
- (5) What community or non-Masonic activities are proper for a Lodge to sponsor or support, and how?

A most informative report was presented by the Committee on Foreign Relations, of which M.W. Bro. R. V. Harris was Chairman. It gave an extensive account of the conditions existing in many of the Asiatic, European, Central and South American Grand Lodges.

On Friday evening a meeting of The Masonic Research Association was held in the Masonic Temple to hear papers presented on (a) Irish Craft Masonry in Canada, (b) Scottish Craft Masonry in Canada.

At noon on Saturday, once again, a most successful, instructive and enlightening Conference was closed with prayer, after it was unanimously decided to hold the Seventh Biennial Conference in Toronto at a time in February to be selected by the members of the Executive Committee.

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